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TWELVE CANTON AIR FORCE PLANES DESERT TO GENERALISSIMO



Sir Edgar Britten, above, skipper of England's super-liner Queen Mary, is here shown as his ship docked in New York after her maiden trip last month. The Queen Mary, delayed by fog and heavy weather, came within 42 minutes of the Atlantic record recently set up by the French luxury liner Normandie.

MANIFESTO BY AVIATORS SENSATIONAL CHARGES AGAINST SUPERIORS BITTER RESENTMENT VOICED IN SOUTHERN CAPITAL

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, To-day.
The 12 planes belonging to the Canton Air Force which mysteriously disappeared, as reported exclusively in the China Mail yesterday, are reported to have gone over to Nanking at the inducement of the Central Authorities. It was learned this morning. All the deserting planes are bombers and fighters, recently imported from America. They are 1935 models of Boeing and Curtiss-Hawks, it is learned. The machines hopped off from Shaokwan, Northern Kwangtung, and made their first stop at Changsha, field headquarters of the Nanking air force. About twenty air officers here have deserted for Nanking. Some left by plane for Changsha, while others went to Hong Kong and boarded the S.S. President Jefferson last night for Shanghai.

Those aviators who are now at Changsha issued a manifesto declaring that they want to join Nanking in order to avoid a civil war in the air. They also accuse their former superiors, on numerous sensational charges, of causing foreign complications. Lieut-General Chen Hsing-yun, Commandant of the Nanking air force in Changsha and a former police chief in Canton, is credited with securing the defection of the 12 planes. The object is to weaken the Canton air strength, and much resentment has consequently been aroused in official circles here.

CUSTOMS RIOTS IN TSINGTAO QUESTION ASKED IN COMMONS

London, To-day.

The attack by Japanese residents on the Commissioner of Chinese Customs in Tsingtao was the subject of a question by Mr. R. H. Morgan (C. Stourbridge) in the House of Commons yesterday. Mr. Anthony Eden, Foreign Secretary, said that there had been no special movement of units of the China Squadron in connection with the recent disturbances. He added that the British Government had already been in touch with the other interested Governments as regards the situation. — Reuter.

from Nanking charging the South-west with insubordination in launching an anti-Japanese movement are furnishing the (Continued on Page 12)



It took the Zeppelin Hindenburg 15 hours longer to make her second Friedrichshafen-Lakehurst trip because of adverse winds and weather conditions. The time on the second trip was 76 hours 30 minutes. In one of the squalls the passengers had a bad fright. The huge ship dipped so sharply that plates were thrown off the table at which they were dining. These pictures taken of the second Lakehurst landing show (top) the ship as she approached the mooring mast, and (below) the landing crew having a little difficulty with ground winds. A cable received yesterday stated that the giant dirigible set a new record of 45 hours 39 minutes for the trip from Lakehurst, New Jersey, to Frankfurt.

MR. TANG SEES SINISTER MOTIVE BEHIND RECENT SOUTH-WEST MOVEMENT

INTERVIEWED IN NANKING

May Not Attend C.E.C.
Meeting On Friday

VISITED BY GENERALISSIMO

Nanking, To-day.

Mr. Tang Shao-yi, interviewed, declared that while the common aim of the people and the Government was to resist foreign aggression, he could not see that the recent South-western movement was actuated by patriotic motives. Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and General Feng Yuh-siang called on Mr. Tang on his arrival. Mr. Tang is staying for several days in the capital, but is not sure whether he will attend the conference of the Central Executive Council on Friday. Mr. Li Siao-sen, who flew from Canton to Nanking yesterday, left for Shanghai by train last evening. During his brief stay he conferred with Dr. Sun Fo and Mr. Chu Cheng, presumably about the funeral of the late Mr. Hu Han-min. — Reuter.

JAPANESE RUMOURS REPUDIATED SEPARATIST MOVEMENT IN SIAM EMPHATICALLY DENIED

Shanghai, To-day. — The rumours circulated by the Japanese press in Shanghai, to the effect that General Chang Hsueh-liang and other former North-eastern army commanders were planning a separatist movement from Nanking, were emphatically denied by a member of the Central Executive Council on arrival at Shanghai from Siam. The rumours alleged that the so-called malcontents conferred recently at Siam and decided to establish an independent Government, which would tolerate Chinese Communists and solicit the support of Soviet Russia. — Reuter.

APPEAL ISSUED BY ETHIOPIA £2,000,000 Wanted For Further Defence Of Western Regions

London, To-day.
The Ethiopian Legation in London has issued a public appeal for £2,000,000 to administer and defend the western part of the country still unoccupied by Italy. — Reuter.

PROBLEM OF STRAITS NEW BRITISH PROPOSAL SETTLEMENT FOR 50 YEARS SOVIET DELEGATE NOT QUITE SATISFIED

Montreux, To-day.

The settlement of the Straits fortification question for 50 years is contemplated by a British memorandum, which stipulates the tonnage of warships allowed to pass through the Straits. But in case of a war in which Turkey was neutral, the belligerent Powers would have the right to send unlimited forces to the Black Sea and if Turkey considered herself threatened by war, she would have full discretion over the passage of warships.

M. Litvinoff (U.S.S.R.) reserved his decision pending instructions, but made it clear that the Soviets are less satisfied with the British proposals than with the former Turkish suggestions. The British tonnage would bottle up the 23,000-ton Russian battleship (Continued on Page 12)

NANKING ATTACK ANTICIPATED

Kwangtung Forces
Prepared

DEFENCES ALL BEING
INSPECTED

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, To-day.
Anticipating an attack on Kwangtung by Nanking forces, the military authorities here to-day made a last round of inspection of their defences in Northern and Eastern Kwangtung.

General Yu Han-mou, General Officer Commanding the first Kwangtung army, called a military meeting last evening in his field headquarters in Ta Yu, Southern Kiangsi, with respect to plans to meet a Northern attack. He has special instructions from the military headquarters here for his divisional commanders at the front. The numerous telegrams

MORE UNREST IN SPAIN

Fascist Discovers
Murdered

BOMB EXPLOSIONS CONTINUE

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL
Madrid, To-day.
A corpse with 32 knife wounds was found by the police in a Madrid suburb and turned out, on investigation, to be that of a Fascist belonging to the Spanish army. The assassin is unknown.

Near Madrid, in Cerro Bermelo, eight bombs exploded one after the other at a place where a new building is being erected. Eighty Communists from Asturia were arrested on the Madrid railway station yesterday because they travelled without tickets. — Trans-Ocean Service.

COUP D'ETAT?
Madrid, Later: A thousand Fascists have been arrested throughout Spain, following the alleged discovery of plans for a coup d'Etat in Madrid. — Reuter.

CLEANING-UP IN PALESTINE

Aircraft Co-Operation
With Military Forces

Jerusalem, To-day.

Wireless and aeroplanes are playing an important part in the cleaning-up operations of the combined forces of Cameron and Seaforth Highlanders in the hills of Central Palestine. Heavily armoured vehicles equipped with radio co-ordinate their activities with aircraft. — Reuter.

STOP PRESS

Tokyo, To-day.

A statement consisting of 20,000 words issued by the Court Martial announces that 19 officers, 75 non-commissioned officers, 19 soldiers and 10 civilians were indicted for complicity in the rebellion of February 26 last. — Reuter.

DANZIG SITUATION DISCUSSED

Serious Potentialities Stressed
By Mr. Anthony Eden

London, To-day.

It is learned from the evening papers that at a meeting of the Cabinet yesterday Mr. Anthony Eden, Foreign Secretary, stressed the serious potentialities of the Danzig situation, which will be further considered by the Cabinet to-morrow. — Reuter.

STRIKE FEVER IN EUROPE

Swiss Works Now
Affected

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Berne, To-day.

The strike wave which swept over France and Belgium some time ago, and now seems to have quietened down there, appears to have reached Switzerland.

Yesterday morning the entire employees and hands of the well-known Solvo works in Thun laid down their tools and took possession of the works because their demand for increased wages had not been fulfilled. As the 600 workers announced that they would not leave the works, the Berne Canton Government issued a declaration that rigorous measures will be taken if the negotiations between the owners and the workers' union do not result in a very early resumption of work. — Trans-Ocean Service.

OFFICIALLY INSPIRED SPEECH BY GREISER

BUT ASSURANCES GIVEN

Berlin, To-day. — An assurance that Germany will take no step which might disturb the international situation is understood to have been given by a Foreign Office spokesman in the absence of the Foreign Minister, Baron von Neurath, to the Comptroller of the British Legation and the French Ambassador, when they called at the Foreign Office last evening. It is understood, to acquire about the German attitude to Dr. Greiser's speech on Danzig, in which connection it is believed that the reply was given that the speech was fully supported by Germany. Dr. Greiser left for Danzig last evening. — Reuter.

WHITE SLAVE TRAFFIC

Coming Conference
In Java

London, To-day.

Replying to a question in the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Anthony Eden, Foreign Secretary, announced that the League of Nations conference on the traffic in women and children would be held in Java next February. The French, Chinese, Portuguese, Netherlands, Siamese, Hong Kong and Straits Settlements Governments had agreed to send representatives, and the United States would send an observer. India was considering the question of sending an observer. — Reuter.

TRAMWAY STRIKE IN ALEXANDRIA

Services Completely
Suspended

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Cairo, To-day.

The whole tramway staff in Alexandria, 1,200 men, went on strike yesterday, the tramway service being completely suspended. Various tentative proposals for arbitration were made by the Labour Office but rejected by the strike committee.

The strikers attempted to stop the power works, whereupon a clash with the police occurred, two policemen and 15 strikers being injured. — Trans-Ocean Service.

BRIBERY CHARGES IN JAPAN

Former Officers To Be
Court-Martialled

Tokyo, To-day.

Confirming the rumours in circulation for the last three months, the War Office announces that the former Lieutenant-General Haruhiko Umemura, former Director-General of the Military Arsenal, and Army Engineer Fumie Miyahara have been sent to Court Martial on charges of accepting bribes. Umemura is alleged to have accepted over 20,000 yen from a merchant connected with the arsenal.

The scandal was rumoured in April, when the Vice-Minister of War, General Umemura, was appointed concurrently Director-General of the Arsenal, replacing Umemura, who was placed on the retired list. — Reuter.

GERMAN ARMS FOR CHINA

In Exchange For
Metals

REPORTED AGREEMENT

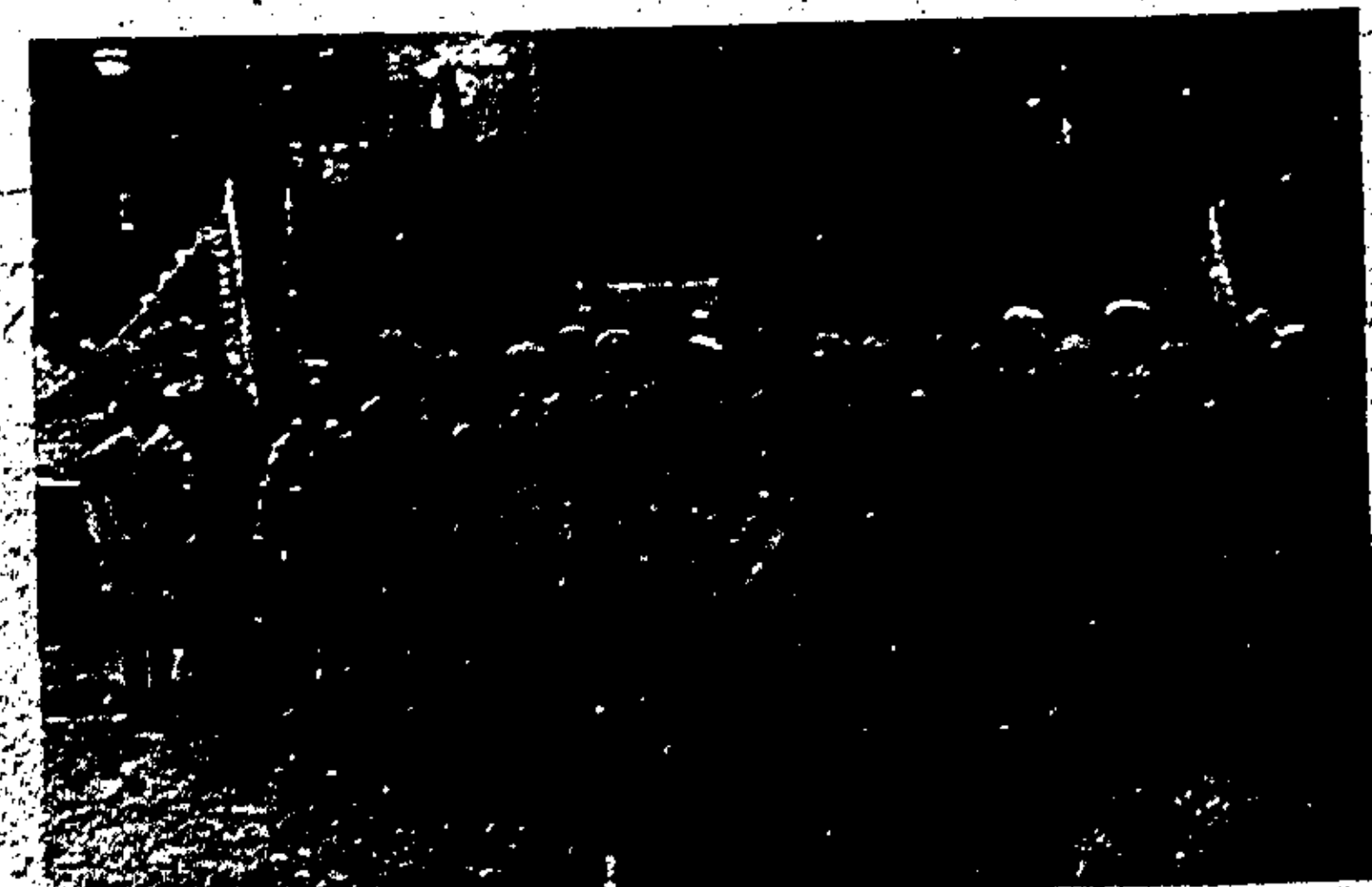
London, To-day.

The Berlin correspondent of The Times states that it is understood from official quarters that the reported Sino-German trade agreement has not been directly negotiated by the German Government but by the Klein Consortium, a business amalgamation which handles contracts in China.

The agreement provides that certain Chinese products, including metals, required by Germany be paid for by German goods, doubtless including armaments, though it is not suggested in any overwhelming or alarming proportions. It is impossible to ascertain the exact quantities of arms involved. — Reuter.

NEGUS RETURNS TO LONDON

London, To-day. — The Negus has returned to London. — Reuter.



Above, are seen some of the 200 "goodwill" child ambassadors from Kwangsi, whose object is to appeal to the Nanking Government to take over the Kwangsi forces and resist Japanese aggression. The party is at present in Hong Kong and intends to leave as soon as arrangements have been completed. ("China Mail" photo).

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INWARD MAILS

FROM EUROPE

R.M.A. Dorado (Imperial Airways direct Service) July 7
Yochow (via Siberia) " 8
Naldera (via Suez) " 8

FROM U.S.A.

Pres. Jackson July 10

FROM MANILA

Potsdam July 7
Taiping " 7
Emp. of Asia " 8
Pres. Coolidge " 10

FROM SHANGHAI

Yochow July 7
Tango Maru " 10
Corfu " 10
General Pershing " 10
Pres. Jackson " 10
Tahybius " 11
Felix Roussel " 14
Mennon " 14

FROM AUSTRALIA

Taiping July 7

FROM JAPAN

Corfu July 10
Tango Maru " 10
Durban Maru " 10
Pres. Jackson " 10
Gen. Pershing " 10
Felix Roussel " 14
Tottori Maru " 15

FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Santhia July 7
Teiriasia " 13
Van Heutz " 14

OUTWARD MAILS

FOR EUROPE

Emp. of Asia (via Siberia) July 9
Closes: Reg. 5 p.m. Ord. 5.30 p.m.
Pr. & Coolidge (via San Francisco) " 10
Closes: Reg. 5 p.m. Ord. 5.30 p.m.
L.M.A. Dorado ("Imperial Airways direct Service) " 10
Closes: Reg. 5 p.m. Ord. 8.30 a.m.
Corfu (via Marseilles) " 11
Closes: Reg. 9.45 a.m. Ord. 10.00 a.m.

FOR MANILA

Tjisadane July 7

FOR U.S.A.

Emp. of Asia July 9
Pres. Coolidge " 10

FOR STRAITS AND INDIA

Kutaang July 8
Corfu " 11

FOR AUSTRALIA

R.M.A. Dorado (Air Mail) July 10

SHOTS ON MAIL TRAIN

Passenger Sent For Trial

"PLAYING WITH A REVOLVER"

Crewe.—The revolver incident on the Irish mail train between Holyhead and Crewe, when two men were wounded, was dealt with last month by the Crewe Bench.

Robert Wilson Robertson Montgomery, aged 25, of Ballymahon, Mullingar, was committed for trial at Chester Assizes, and was allowed bail.

He was charged with unlawfully wounding Alexander Williamson, a builder and contractor, of South Kensington, London, and with carrying a firearm without a certificate. Charges of taking a firearm on board a train and presenting and firing a loaded revolver were dismissed.

Mr. Billington, for the police, said that Montgomery, who was a private secretary to a man in Ireland, crossed to England on May 25, occupying a compartment on the Irish Mail with Williamson.

Bang And Crash

The lights were lowered, and as the train passed through Llandudno Williamson felt something brush his hip. He asked Montgomery what he was doing, and he replied: "It is all right." Williamson retorted: "We will see about that," and as he was raising himself there was a bang and a crash, and he was injured.

Mr. Billington added that the revolver was only about six inches from Williamson's arm when it went off. He was wounded in the arm. Montgomery, who was also suffering from a shot wound, was later found bathing his thumb. It was stated that when the train arrived at Crewe Montgomery was asked by a railway police officer to explain. He replied: "I don't know what happened. I had some brandy, and was pretty well drunk."



Tiny pleats, the vogue many years ago, have come back to stay. Here Mary Carlisle, the screen actress, wears a skirt so pleated in shadow blue wool. The bodice features an attractive front design buttoned with navy blue buttons, the same shade as her leather belt.

ARCTIC SEARCH FOR FLOWERS

Trip Planned By Two Men

Victoria, Canada. Two local horticulturists named Edward and Joseph Lohbrunner have left here for Canada's Far North to collect flora within the Arctic Circle.

The brothers have the support of Lord Aberconway, president of the Royal Horticultural Society, of the British Alpine Club and of gardeners in Great Britain, Canada and the United States.

The Lohbrunners expect to bring back many rare and unusual plants that bloom in the short summer season up north. They will spend the entire summer on their venture and will return south when the plants begin to disappear under the snows.—Reuter.

"RADIO ARRESTS"

Yard Chiefs See How U.S. Police Work

More than 2,600 arrests in London last year were made mainly through wireless broadcasts from Scotland Yard to patrol-cars.

Further developments in the use of wireless may be expected, following the visit of Deputy Assistant-Commissioner R. M. Howe, Superintendent H. Battley, and other high police officials to America to study police methods there.

They found that Scotland Yard is not far behind America in the use of wireless, both as a means of catching criminals and for traffic purposes.

BROADCASTING IN CANADA

Change Of System Planned

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP

Ottawa.

About three years ago a Government-owned radio system was begun in Canada under the control of the Canadian Radio Broadcasting Commission. At that time there were a considerable number of private stations operating.

Some of these belonged to the Canadian National Railways and these were taken over to form the nucleus of a national system. Since then several new stations have been built or acquired, and the Canadian Radio Commission has developed a programme department which has been responsible for a great many good features on the air. It is proposed to take over the larger private stations, build new high powered stations and in time cover the whole Dominion.

Question Of Control

Meantime there has been some dissatisfaction with the three-man commission control. A Parliamentary committee, which recently studied the matter, advised the Government to abandon the commission method and to set up a body similar in structure to the British Broadcasting corporation.

If their recommendations are carried out, there will be nine governors, representing all geographical and regional interests in Canada, as heads of the corporation. The actual direction of operations will be under a highly paid general manager.

The new corporation will continue the tradition of public ownership but it is to be free from political control in regard to the engaging of staff, their remuneration, etc. It will have the power, it is expected, to borrow up to \$500,000 from the Federal Government, to be used in erecting new stations in territory not now well served by Canadian broadcasting stations.—Reuter.

UNIQUE VESSEL FOR CANADA

All-Welded Ship For Lake Service

Montreal.

A unique vessel, the Franquelin, motor-ship of all-welded steel, is paying its first visit to this port. She was built on the Tyne for the Quebec and Ontario Transportation Company.

The first of the new all-welded ships built for this firm, the Joseph Medill, was lost with all hands at sea on her voyage out from England last summer. The Franquelin, which will be used for lake service, has many unique features which differentiate her from the usual line of lake vessels. She was designed after exhaustive study of the problems of Canada's inland transportation and will carry newsprint and pulpwood along the St. Lawrence route.—Reuter.

GUILDFORD CATHEDRAL

Trollope and Colls's £27,787 tender has been accepted for work on Guildford cathedral, consisting of the crypt, choir practice room, cloakrooms, heating chambers, stores, staircases and foundations.

\$40,000 FOR MALAY REGIMENT

Funds Voted In Federal Council Meeting

Kuala Lumpur.—About \$40,000 expenditure on the Malay Regiment at Port Dickson, was approved by the Federal Council in Kuala Lumpur last month.

All of this expenditure was met by a re-vote of the unexpended balance on last year's vote. Included in the items were \$32,354 for arms and equipment, and \$2,773 for war equipment to put the Rifle Company on a war footing.

JERRY BUILDERS' "DAMAGE"

Country Spoiled By Crude Houses

BUILDING SOCIETY ATTACK

"It is a thoroughly vicious notion that crude and ugly houses are necessarily cheaper than those distinguished by repose and graceful balance."

This statement was made by Sir Harold Bellman, chairman, at the 69th annual conference of the National Association of Building Societies at Llandudno last month.

"The jerry-builder must not be allowed to perpetrate those ostentatious facades and rear elevations which have been described as Queen Anne fronts and Mary Ann backs."

"They offensively betray a mixed ancestry similar to that of the Houses of Parliament."

Irreparable Damage

There are a number of builders who inflict irreparable damage to the civic environment.

"The building society movement is ready to co-operate with any responsible body which aims at eradicating the jerry-builder."

Sir Harold Bellman stated that the majority of building societies had approved a code of ethics. The code was devised primarily to secure that the limits of prudent lending were not exceeded.

BEACON ON A SPIRE

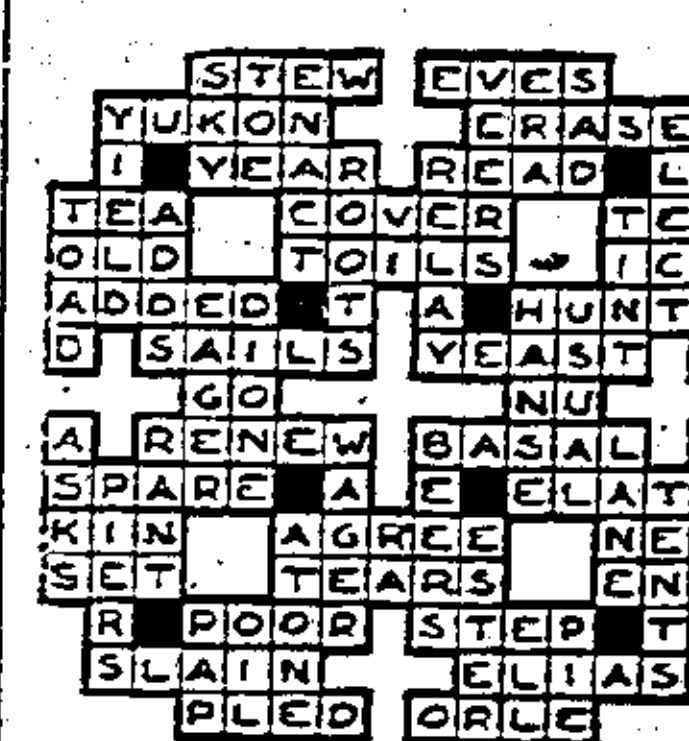
A Belisha beacon, removed overnight from an Aberdeen street corner, was next seen on top of the spire of Marischal College, which is 235ft high.



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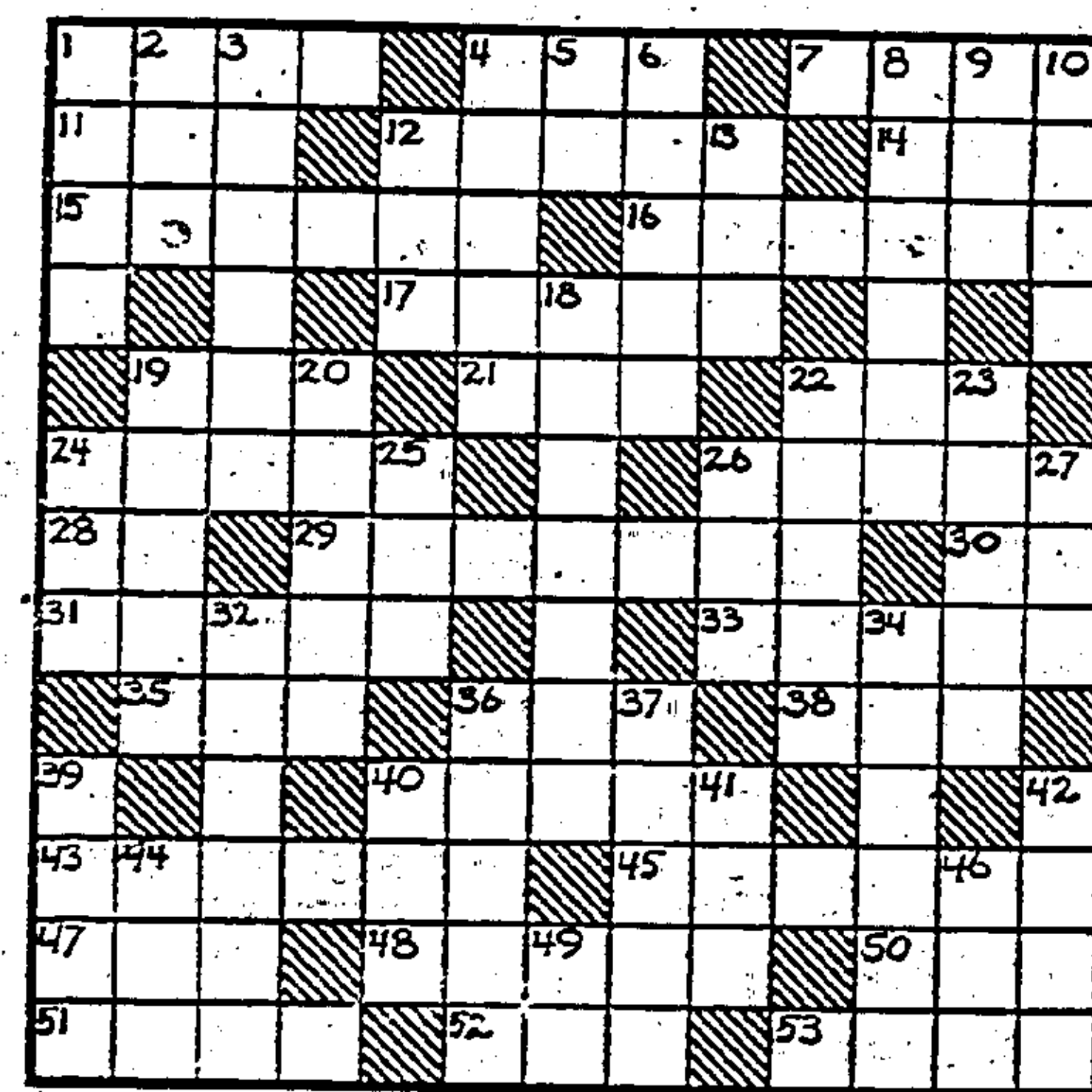


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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



- HORIZONTAL**
- One
 - Mineral spring
 - Inquire
 - Move rapidly
 - Acid
 - A vegetable
 - Apparel
 - Islands off the coast of Greece
 - Stop
 - An insect
 - Expire
 - A wager
 - Fabulously rich man
 - Passage money (pl.)
 - Suffix to form past tense
 - Revolves
 - Near by
 - Canvas shelters
 - Judges
 - Prefix. Apart
 - Perform
- VERTICAL (Cont.)**
- Part of a circle
 - Digit
 - Assistance
 - Helped
 - Small pies
 - Meaner
 - Group of players (pl.)
 - Joined
 - Maritime signal
 - Gave food to
 - Streets (abbr.)
 - Crab claw
 - Country rule by an emperor
 - Change the form of
 - Taut
 - Dry
 - Scrawful
 - American novelist
 - Hawaiian garlands
 - Czech
 - A letter
 - Negative

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

Bringing Up Father



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Amusements

Cinema Notes From
The Theatres"THE COUNTRY DOCTOR"
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THEATRES

Adapted from an original story by Charles E. Blake, Chicago newspaper man, "The Country Doctor" finds its drama in the life-and-death conflict that a physician eternally wages in the Canadian wilds in his unselfish work. It is warm with romance, brightly alive with delightful humorous touches, fresh with the antics, the crowning and the play of the world's most famous babies.

Jean Hersholt, beloved character star, is the doctor of the picture, a heroic, self-sacrificing physician who fights pain and ill in a Canadian fur-trading post with inadequate equipment.

Because his nephew, Michael Whalen, persists in his love for June Lang, daughter of the post's manager, and because Hersholt himself tactlessly attempts to get a hospital and needed supplies for his people, he incurs the displeasure of the company powers. Without regard for his record or heroism, the post manager outs him from his position.

He is broken and dispirited when he gets a call to attend John Quallen's wife and goes to her, never suspecting the phenomenon he is going to witness. In a sequence that is the highspot of the picture for drama and comedy, the five tiny mites are brought to the world, the doctor begins the fight to keep them alive.

As the film nears its close, we witness the fame and rewards that are heaped on the happy doctor as his little charges prosper and grow. And, at the height of his happiness, the post manager relents and gives his consent to the romance of Whalen and Miss Lang.

The screen story of the picture, which was directed by Henry King, was written by Sonya Levien, Slim Summerville, Dorothy Peterson and Robert Barratt, as members of the all-star cast, occupy prominent roles.

"THE CASE AGAINST MRS. AMES"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

Madeleine Carroll and George Brent play the important parts in this courtroom-mystery yarn, and the former gives one of her best dramatic portrayals to date.

The story is told for the greater part against the hard background of a court scene, is interspersed with intelligent dialogue and opens when Madeleine Carroll, as Hope Ames, is acquitted for the slaying of her husband, but the prosecutor (George Brent) denounces her as a murderess acquitted on sentiment and is himself imprisoned for contempt of court. To clear the name of her son in a legal fight she secures his release and hires him to make a reinvestigation of the slaying.

A dramatic climax is reached in which both stars are given full opportunity to give excellent accounts of themselves.

Others in the case are Alan Mowbray, Alan Baxter, Esther Dale and Bessie Bondi.

"DESIRE"—ORIENTAL
THEATRE

All screen lovers who count Marlene Dietrich and Gary Cooper among their favourites have a rare treat waiting for them at the



Dr. Walter W. Van Kirk, above, president of the National Peace Conference, an affiliation of 34 nation-wide peace groups, was to present before the platform committee of the Republican and Democratic national conventions a four-plank platform for the maintenance of world peace.

Oriental Theatre. It is the first time this glamorous pair has been cast together since "Morocco."

Comedy, drama and adventure are expertly interwoven into the texture of this exciting and diverting film, which recounts the romantic adventures that follow a sensational jewel robbery by a breath-taking Continental beauty. The clever way in which Miss Dietrich purloins a costly string of pearls while the owner of the string and a psychiatrist are going through a comedy of errors, of her contriving, cannot be divulged, as it would eliminate the surprise that attends this amusing situation.

Fine work is done by the other members of the cast, which includes John Halliday, William Frawley, Akim Tamaroff, Ernest Cossart and Alan Mowbray.

"THE BRIDE COMES HOME"—
STAR THEATRE

This picture is one of the smartest comedy romances of the year and features Claudette Colbert and Fred MacMurray in the important roles.

Miss Colbert is the daughter of a Chicago financier who had gone distressingly broke. Though reared in great luxury, the girl nevertheless has plenty of grit, and decides to go to work. Robert Young, a childhood sweetheart, has just inherited \$3,000,000, but Claudette feels she would prefer getting a job to marrying him.

She does go to work, as assistant editor of the magazine Young publishes, where she is made assistant to the editor, Fred MacMurray. MacMurray is a hard-boiled, rough-spoken fellow who resents Miss Colbert's presence. They fight from the moment they meet. Both the boy and the girl seem to have been born with a liberal quantity of the Old Ned in them, and they find it exceedingly difficult to speak a civil word to each other until they happen to fall in love.

Their battles, however, annihilate their plans for marriage and Miss Colbert, for sheer spite, elopes with Young. MacMurray pursues them on a motor-cycle and the wind-up comes in a marrying squire's home, with the squire himself a past master at shouting down arguments.

"THE IRISH IS US"—
MAJESTIC THEATRE

This picture is Warner Bros. latest comedy drama and presents James Cagney, Pat O'Brien, Frank McHugh and Olivia de Havilland at the head of an unusually popular cast.

The story itself is the story of most families—internal battles, but a common front against an outside attack. Mary Gordon portrays the part of an Irish mother whose three sons are Pat O'Brien, a policeman; Frank McHugh, a fireman; and James Cagney, who refuses to take a steady job, but devotes himself to managing broken-down prize-fighters.

The mother's catering to the one non-producer of her brood keeps the family in constant turmoil, but the tempest breaks in earnest when Cagney takes O'Brien's girl (Miss de Havilland) away from him.

In the cast are Allen Jenkins, Harvey Parry, J. Farrell MacDonald and Thomas Jackson, in addition to a number of noted prize-fighters and many college-borne British subjects.

BRIDGE NOTES

"Grudge" Bridge
Games
By Ely Culbertson

Here is an interesting hand I came across recently.

North and South vulnerable.

NORTH

S. Q 5

H. 8 7 4 3 2

D. K 6 5 2

C. 5 4

WEST EAST

S. 4 3 2 S. K J 9 6

H. K J 10 6 H. Q 9

D. A J 9 7 D. Q

C. 9 2 C. K Q J 8 7 5

SOUTH

S. A 10 8 7

H. A 5

D. 10 8 4 3

C. A 10 6

The bidding:

East South West North

1C. 1S. 2D. Pass

2NT Pass 3NT Dble*

* Final bid.

South knew his partner's double demanded a spade opening lead and his own length in the latter properly induced him to lead the spade seven. North's queen lost to the king. Declarer then led the king of clubs and when South stayed off, followed with the jack.

Since South's object in holding up had been to deprive declarer of a club communication from dummy to his own hand, he won the second round with the ace. To my amazement, instead of leading a diamond, he attempted a "hoax" play—underleading his heart ace, hoping North had the queen and declarer would guess wrong. [North, for his penalty double, had to have a diamond stopper, whereas East certainly should hold the heart queen for his no trump bid.] East won the heart in his own hand and ran off his four good clubs, then returned the heart, knocking out South's ace. The ace of spades was the defenders' only other trick, the contract being fulfilled with an overtrick.

North was the first to howl. "Class D. professor!" he yelled, referring to my fine system for bad play—Class A errors, \$1; Class B, \$2.50; Class C, \$5; Class D, \$10. And to his partner: "You're lucky I'm not the referee—I'd give you life!"

But I was not to be trifled. "A bad play, undoubtedly," I said, "but class C is more accurate. I have to add another dollar for South's one spade overcall, vulnerable, on such a weak hand."

"Well," chorled East, "that's six bucks for the kitty!" "O, the kitty will do better than that," I said. "You're fined \$1 for that two no trump bid of yours, and West will have to pay the same amount for his two diamonds when he should have bid two hearts. You don't think, just because South made a rotten play, that you're going to get away with murder, do you? I don't judge by results!"

East and West muttered something under their breath, but they paid. South seemed grateful not to have been put in class D.

KING'S COLLEGE
MAGAZINEMany Contributions
By Pupils

The July number of King's College Magazine has just been issued. A special feature is the large number of articles and verses contributed by the boys themselves, many of which show a high standard of English, besides distinct originality of concept and treatment. This is a most gratifying feature, which deserves and is apparently receiving every encouragement.

The magazine has a section printed in Chinese and contains a number of excellent photographs, mostly of athletic subjects. There is also a full record of the school's sporting activities.

(Continued from Next Column).

The German military law will not be applied to children born in the British Empire to German parents if, by their birth, the children automatically become British subjects.

RECRUITING BY
GERMANYAlleged Movement
In AfricaGEN. HERTZOG ORDERS
AN ENQUIRY

Cape Town.—Replying to a question on alleged recruiting by the German Consul in South-West Africa, the former German colony now under South African mandate, Gen. Hertzog, the South African Prime Minister, declared in the Assembly recently that he had asked for an enquiry to be made.

The matter was receiving serious consideration by the Administration of South-West Africa, which had been asked to report further to the Union Government. Upon receipt of this report the matter would be considered by the Union Government.

Asked whether any or all of the recruits were British subjects, the Prime Minister said: "I have no information on this point other than that there are a number of children of automatically naturalised British subjects among the recipients of the notices calling them up for medical examination."

Does Not Approve
The South African Government, Gen. Hertzog added, did not approve of this proceeding in so far as Union nationals were affected.

The German Consul in Cape Town said later that what was being done was purely a routine matter. All Consuls had received orders that all German citizens of the 1915 class, who would be called up for service if they were in Germany, must be registered. There was no suggestion that they would have to go to Germany for military training.

British-Born Subjects
German citizens living abroad who are not subjects of any other State are naturally liable to military service, and thus to registration by German Consuls. (Continued at foot of Preceding Column.)

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres. (845 K.C.A.).
Relay from R.U.E. Office's Mess. Ozo and His Boy Friends
12.30-2.10 p.m.—European Programme.

12.30 p.m.—Orchestral Selections.

1 p.m.—Local: Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.35 p.m.—A Variety Concert.

1.55 p.m.—Relay of the Rotary Club Tiffin Speech from the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden—Rotarian P. A. Cassidy on "Hong Kong Develops a Social Conscience."

2.10 p.m.—CLOSE DOWN.

4.7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7-11 p.m.—European Programme.

7 p.m.—"Quartet in A Minor" (Brahms)

7.35 p.m.—A Programme of German Music.

Der Freischütz—Potpourri (Weber)

Vocal Duets—

Siegfried forges the sword ("Siegfried") (Wagner)

Melchior (Tenor) and Reiss (Tenor)

Pianoforte Solo—

Military March in E flat (Schubert)

Choral—Ave Maria

("Lorelei") (Mendelssohn)

Berlin Philharmonic Choir

Cello Solo—Kol Nidrei (Max Bruch)

Gasper Cassado.

8 p.m.—Local: Time Signal, Weather Report, Stock Quotations and Announcements.

8.45 p.m.—From the Studio.

A Jazz Medley by "Ozo and his Boy Friends."

Programme

1. Medley—

Penny in my pocket

Farwell Blues

Coffee in the Morning.

2. Vocal—Moon over Miami

Bob Xavier.

3. Piano Solo—Sweet Sue—Ozo

4. Waltz Medley—

Song of the Islands.

Speak to me of love

I love you truly.

5. Vocal—Moon burn — Bob Xavier

6. Medley—

Please believe me.

Moscow.

I'd rather listen to your eyes.

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Sporting Page



V.R.C. WILL MAKE AN INTERESTING EXPERIMENT THIS EVENING

MISS STAMMERS IN BRILLIANT FORM

MISS JACOBS EXHAUSTED IN WIGHTMAN CUP GAME

SPLENDID TENNIS WITNESSED

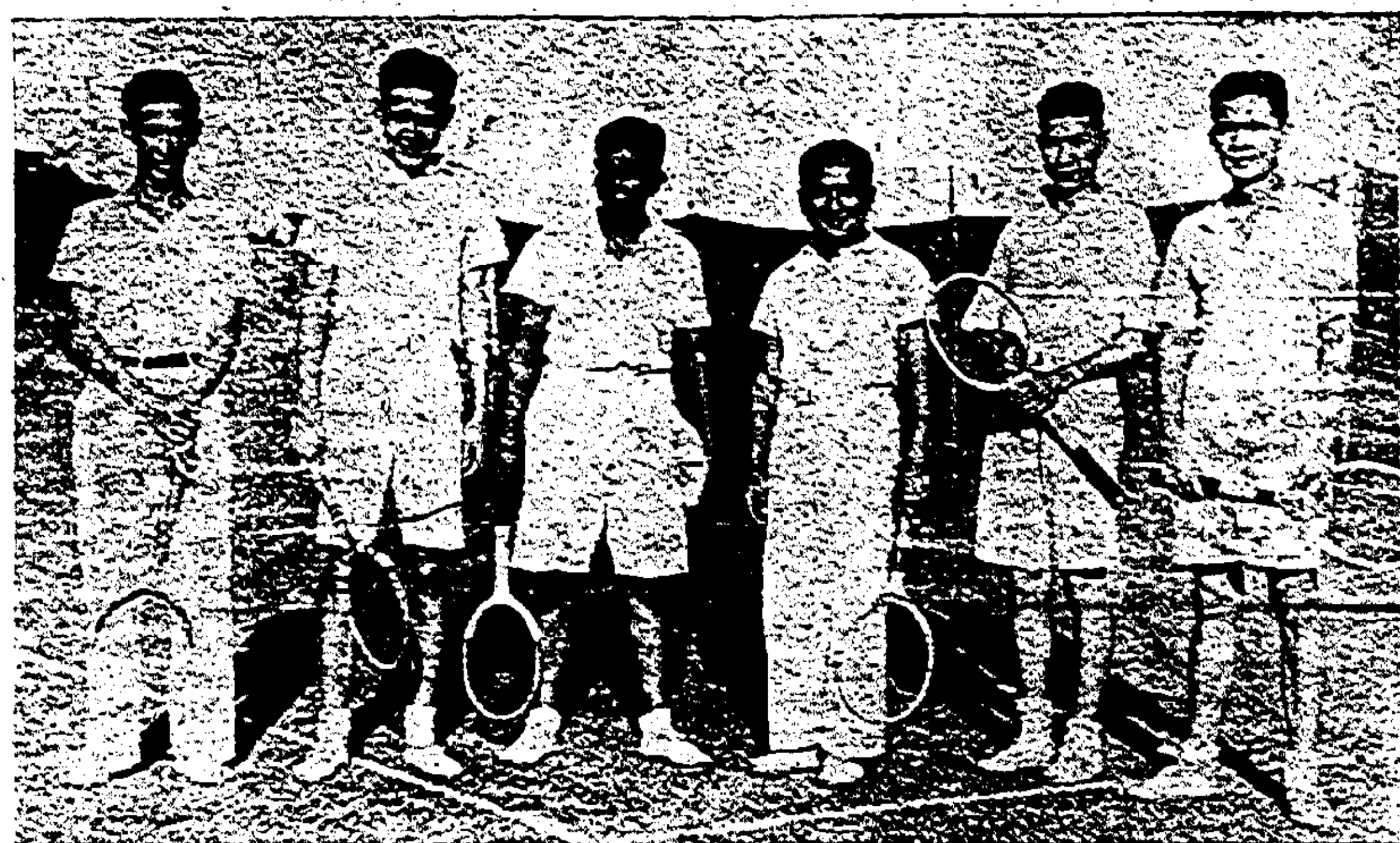
(By A. Wallis Myers)

London, June 13.

THE Wightman Cup has not yet been regained by England from America, but yesterday, on the centre court, at Wimbledon, the British women established a lead of two matches to one.

To-day the position is one up with four to play. It is a most promising lead, and if one did not remember that England held the same advantage in New York last year after the first day, only to find their opponents winning the first three matches on the second day, the victory bells might almost be rung now.

It was a strange first day. Until the rain checked the first set between Miss Stammers and Miss Jacobs, after the 21st game, I had never seen two girls play 50 minutes of such riotous exciting tennis on the centre court—or, indeed on any other court the world over.



The Club de Recreio "C" Division Lawn Tennis League team, above, are hot favourites for the divisional title. They have won their first four matches by convincing margins. Left to right are H. Goncalves, H. Noronha, A. M. Silva, J. Xavier, H. Ribeiro and L. A. Silva. ("China Mail" photo).

BRADDOCK AND BAER IN RETURN BOUT?

ANCIL HOFFMAN'S BIG OFFER

BUT DEPENDENT UPON MAX SCHEMELING

New York, July 1.

Max Baer may get another chance to mix punches with Jimmy Braddock and gain revenge for the night of June 13, 1935, when Braddock took him by surprise and deprived him of the world's heavyweight championship, it was learned to-day.

Braddock received an offer of \$200,000 from Ancil Hoffman, Baer's manager, for a title fight late in September, to be staged in Chicago, some California city, or Dallas in connection with the Texas Centennial Exposition. It was indicated that the champion's answer depends on the outcome of present negotiations for a title bout between Braddock and Max Schmeling, who claims a crack at the title by virtue of his upset of Joe Louis.

Already Signed

Joe Jacobs, Twentieth Century Club promoter, has already signed Schmeling to meet Braddock in September and the bout is to be staged if an agreement can be reached with Madison Square Garden and New York State Boxing Commission officials.

If the negotiations fall through, the clowning former champion, at present on a barnstorming comeback tour, may be signed for a return match.—United Press.

THE ALL-INDIA CAPTAINCY

REPLY TO BOMBAY CRITICISM

London, June 11.

"I have every confidence in the Maharaj Kumar of Vizianagaram," said Major Brittain Jones, manager of the All-India team at Sunderland yesterday in replying to suggestions, contained in a report from Bombay, that the lack of success of the team is due to indifferent captaincy.

"The Kumar has fully justified his selection as captain," he added, "and I am sure that I speak for the team when I say that."

"We have had a run of bad luck in our matches in this country, but it is not because the side is a bad one or because the captain is indifferent that we have been losing games. We have been very unfortunate in regard to casualties, and also in regard to the weather."

"It is poor sportsmanship to send a team over here with the confidence and good wishes of all concerned and then to say that they lose a few games to start running them down. It is not cricket."

SKIPPER OF CHAMPIONS WIN IN MIXED DOUBLES LEAGUE

Clark And Mrs. McCaw Only K.C.C. Pair To Win

HUNG AND MRS. LITTON BEST PAIR ON VIEW

The Chinese Recreation Club secured their second win in the Mixed Doubles League yesterday afternoon when they trounced the Kowloon Cricket Club "B" team by 8 sets to 1 at King's Park, G. Clark and Mrs. M. McCaw, the home team's first string, securing their only set.

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G. Clarke and Mrs. McCaw (K.C.C. "B") lost to W. C. Hung and Mrs. Litton 2-6
lost to Tsui Yui-pui and Miss R. Perry 2-6
lost to Tsui and Miss Perry 2-6
lost to Tsui and Mrs. Chiu 4-6

A. W. Ramsay and Mrs. Kew (K.C.C. "B") lost to Hung and Mrs. Litton 2-6
lost to Tsui and Miss Perry 2-6
lost to Tsui and Mrs. Chiu 4-6

C. E. Watson and Mrs. R. T. O. Lamert (K.C.C. "B") lost to Hung and Mrs. Litton 2-6
lost to Tsui and Miss Perry 2-6
lost to Tsui and Mrs. Chiu 4-6

TABLE TO DATE

	P	W	L	D	P	S	A	P
U.S.R.C.	2	2	0	0	15	5	4	
K.C.C. "A"	2	2	0	0	17	1	4	
K.C.C. "B"	2	1	1	0	10	7	2	
Recreio	1	0	0	1	4	4	1	
K.C.C. "F"	5	0	4	1	9	36	1	

Varsity Tennis Victory

"C" Division Game With C.C.C.

In a "C" Division match in the Lawn Tennis League, the University defeated Craigengower C.C. by 7 sets to 2 at Pokfulam yesterday.

K. W. Oei and M. C. Hung (University) beat N. P. Karanjia and O. Sadick 6-3
lost to Hung and P. Hung 6-3
lost to Leo Choo and S. A. Cassumbhoy 1-6

S. Ha and K. C. Cheng (University) beat Karanjia and Sadick 6-0
beat Hung and Hung 6-3
beat Choo and Cassumbhoy 6-3

NO U.S. BASEBALL

New York, to-day.—No games in the American or National Baseball Leagues were scheduled yesterday.—Reuter.

ATTRACTIVE CARD OF NINE EVENTS

BOYS' RACE OVER 220 DISTANCE!

OTHER CLUBS SHOULD FOLLOW SUIT

(By "Crawl")

THE Swimming Committee of the Victoria Recreation Club are making a very interesting experiment this evening when the first—and it will probably be the forerunner of many more to come—of their evening swimming galas takes place, an attractive programme of nine events being featured.

These evening galas are intended to give the swimmers a better chance to keep in training and as the programme takes but an hour and a half, concluding at 7.30 p.m., it gives the participants the opportunity for having a long rest before the next day's work commences.

Practically all the events this evening are on a handicap basis with the exception of the relay, diving and, of course, the water-polo match between selected teams, which will bring the evening's sport to a conclusion.

One of the most interesting events on the programme is the boys' race over 220 yards. Few of the swimming clubs in the Colony encourage boys to swim over anything like 50 yards and this innovation comes as a welcome surprise. To get boys to swim middle and longer distances should be the aim of every Club in the Colony, and it is indeed pleasing to note that the V.R.C., the oldest swimming Club in the Colony, has taken the initiative.

The following is the programme:—
Boys' 220 Yards Free Style H'Cap.
Men's 100 Yards Breast-stroke "C"
Class A H'Cap.
Men's 100 Yards Back-stroke "B"
Class A H'Cap.
Boys' 50 Yards Free Style H'Cap.
Men's 100 Yards Free Style "A"
Class A H'Cap.
Ladies' 50 Yards Free Style H'Cap.
Men's (7-a-side) Four Styles Medley Relay (two men 50 Yards free style, two men 50 Yards back-stroke, two men 50 Yards breast-stroke, one man 25 Yards under-water).
Fancy Diving (3 off top platform).
Water Polo.

Swimmers On View

The following swimmers will appear in the finals this evening:—
Boys' 220 Yards: S. Castro, A. Ozorio, A. Gutierrez, R. Marques, L. Remedios.
Men's 100 Yards Breast-stroke: A. O. Barretto, C. P. Rozario, S. A. Agabeg, C. Mackintosh and N. Delgado.

Men's 100 Yards Back-stroke: H. J. Gutierrez, R. A. Barron, C. Nolasco da Silva.
Boys' 50 Yards: A. D'Almada, Remedios, J. Rozario, Pereira, L. Gutierrez and P. D'Almada Remedios.
Men's 100 Yards Free Style: J. A. Gutierrez, H. L. Ozorio, A. A. da Rosa and W. Lawrence.
Ladies' 50 Yards Free Style: Miss M. Noronha, Miss A. Thirwell, Miss L. Thirwell, Miss I. Lopes and Miss V. Thirwell.

Medley Team Race: "A" Team—W. Lawrence, Leo Silva, L. A. Soares, H. J. Gutierrez, C. Mackintosh, P. Simonsen and A. N. Othman.
"B" Team—J. A. Gutierrez, L. M. Remedios, N. Delgado, J. M. Calvert, C. A. Agabeg, A. Gutierrez and A. N. Othman.
"C" Team—A. A. da Rosa, E. M. Marques, E. Nazario, J. D. Remedios, A. A. Noronha, L. A. Barros and A. O. Barretto.
"D" Team—C. Nolasco da Silva, E. L. Gozono, F. Nolasco, C. F. Rozario, E. de Souza, E. Gutierrez, and O. Barretto.

"C" Division League Table To Date

	P	W	L	D	P	S	A	P
Recreio	4	4	0	0	23	7	8	
S.C.A.A.	4	4	0	0	25	11	0	
A.T.C.	5	4	1	0	30	14	6	
K.C.C. "A"	4	1	0	2	25	18	2	
K.C.C. "B"	2	3	0	2	27	14	6	
K.C.C. "F"	5	2	0	2	23	22	6	
K.T.C.A.	5	2	3	0	27	15	4	
C.C.C.	6	1	5	0	16	25	1	
I.R.C.	4	4	0	0	22	22	0	
C.R.C.	5	0	5	0	12	22	0	
C.S.C.C.	5	0	5	0	15	25	0	

INTERESTING TENNIS TIE IN "A" DIVISION

Recreio's Big Task Against K.C.C.

INDIAN R.C. AND C.R.C. "B" TO CLASH

One of the most interesting games in the "A" Division of the Lawn Tennis League will take place this afternoon at King's Park, weather permitting, where Recreio, and the Kowloon Cricket Club, both strong challengers for the championship now held by Chinese Recreation Club, will clash.

The Portuguese are very strong this year and have three well-balanced pairs, whose steadiness and all-round play have so far given them comfortable victories over their opponents.

The K.C.C., who are at home, will be reinforced by the return of E. F. Fincher and A. E. F. Guest, both of whom would have been unable to play last Tuesday had their fixture against the Indian Recreation Club not been postponed.

Indians Should Win

Another exciting game should be seen at Camseway Bay, where the Indians encounter the C.R.C. "B" team, and although the former will be playing on away courts, they should secure both points.

In the remaining games, South China and the C.R.C. "A" should both record wins against the U.S.R.C. and the H.K.C.C. respectively.

The following is this week's programme of matches commencing at 5.15 p.m.:

	(TO-DAY)	(TOMORROW)
K.C.C. "A"	vs RECREIO	
U.S.R.C.	vs SOUTH CHINA	
C.R.C. "A"	vs H.K.C.C.	
C.R.C. "B"	vs I.R.C.	

(Camseway Bay)

"B" Division

(TO-MORROW)

RECREIO vs C.R.C. "B"

H.K.C.C. vs C.C.C.

C.S.C.C. vs I.R.C.

K.T.C.A. vs C.R.C.

K.T.C.A. vs I.R.C.

U.S.R.C. vs C.R.C.

U.S.R.C. vs I.R.C.

U.S.R.C. vs C.R.C.

U.S.R.C. vs I.R.C.

U.S.R.C. vs C.R.C.

U.S.R.C. vs I.R.C.



GREIG AND MAIR WIN GOOD BOWLS MATCH AT C.S.C.C.

NORONHA'S EASY TRIUMPH

CAVANAGH'S GOOD FORM

Lawn bowls of a very high standard featured the Open Pairs match between W. Greig and W. Mair (Police R.C.) and A. E. Coates and J. Cavanagh (C.C.C.) which was played on the Civil Service Cricket Club green last evening and which resulted in a win for the Police pair by 18 shots to 10.

Despite the comfortable margin by which the Police pair won, the match was very keenly fought out, and the fact that the end of each head found almost all the woods clustered together round the jack speaks volumes for the accuracy of each player.

The honours of the evening must go to Cavanagh, whose efforts prevented Greig and Mair from winning by a bigger margin—he often came in with his last couple of woods, to save the situation when his opponents were lying three or even four.

Noronha Surprises

The other matches resulted very much as expected, though some surprise was caused by J. E. Noronha's easy win over D. Ramjahn, who was expected to put up a close fight. Results of the matches played yesterday were:—

Open Singles
A. Hyde-Lay 21, A. S. Russell 15 (21 heads) at K.D.C.
J. E. Noronha 21, D. Ramjahn 10 (19 heads) at K.C.C.
G. N. Mitchell 21, W. Mulcahy 10 (21 heads) at Recreio.
A. S. Gomes 21, B. Basto 20 (31 heads) at K.B.G.C.
A. E. Coney 22, J. F. Lanny 19 (28 heads) at C.C.C.
P. E. Knight 21, C. Champelovier 19 (23 heads) at H.K.F.C.
A. M. Omar 21, W. V. Field 13 (22 heads) at L.R.C.
The match between M. R. Abbas and W. K. Way at Taikeo was postponed.

Open Pairs
W. Greig and W. Mair 18, A. E. Coates and J. Cavanagh 10, at C.S.C.C.

INTERNATIONAL WATER POLO CLASSIC

E. G. Jordan is to be in charge of the English international water polo team to play Scotland at Portobello, and has been making inquiry where the new pool is situated from Edinburgh. It would seem that some publicity should be given by the Corporation to Edinburgh's "swimming palace" across the border.

These two, both national champions, were gripped in a struggle so level and so fiercely waged, with brilliant shots coming in every rally and never a dull moment, that it seemed inconceivable that the American champion, after the interval, would win only one more game.

Miss Round At Her Best

Miss Stammers beat Jacobs 12-10, 6-1, and then Miss Round, inspired by this fine opening success, outplayed little Mrs. Fabayn in a match that only carried any threat for a brief period in the second set. Miss Round was the champion of 1934 and perhaps even better. She won 6-3, 6-4. It now seemed highly probable that England would end the day with a clear sheet, for Miss Lyle and Miss Dearman were favoured to beat Miss Babcock and Mrs. Van Ryn in the doubles match. (Continued on Page 10)

INDIA AND L.B.W. RULING

To Be Adopted For Next Quadrangular Tourney

Bombay, June 11.

It has just been decided that the next quadrangle tournament here shall be under the new leg-before-wicket rule.

The quadrangular tournament is recognised as the most important cricket event of the year and it is believed, therefore, that the Cricket Club of India cannot now fail to follow suit, thus giving the new rule India's official recognition.

TO-DAY'S LAWN BOWLS

FORMER CHAMPION FAVOURED

The meeting between A. W. Grimitt, a former Colony champion, and J. V. Ramsay, who has represented the Colony in inter-port contests against Shanghai, in the Open Singles Lawn Bowls Championship this evening promises to be the highlight of a programme of five matches, weather permitting.

The game will be played on the Hong Kong Football Club green, and as both players have been displaying good form of late it should be a close struggle, though the odds are slightly in favour of Grimitt winning.

The full programme for to-day is as follows:—
C. H. Basto vs J. E. Henson, at K.D.C.
A. E. Coates vs W. Mair, at C.S.C.C.
A. W. Grimitt vs J. V. Ramsay, at H.K.F.C.
J. Shepherd vs J. D. Thomson, at C.C.C.
L. A. Gutierrez vs N. J. Robinson, at K.B.G.C.

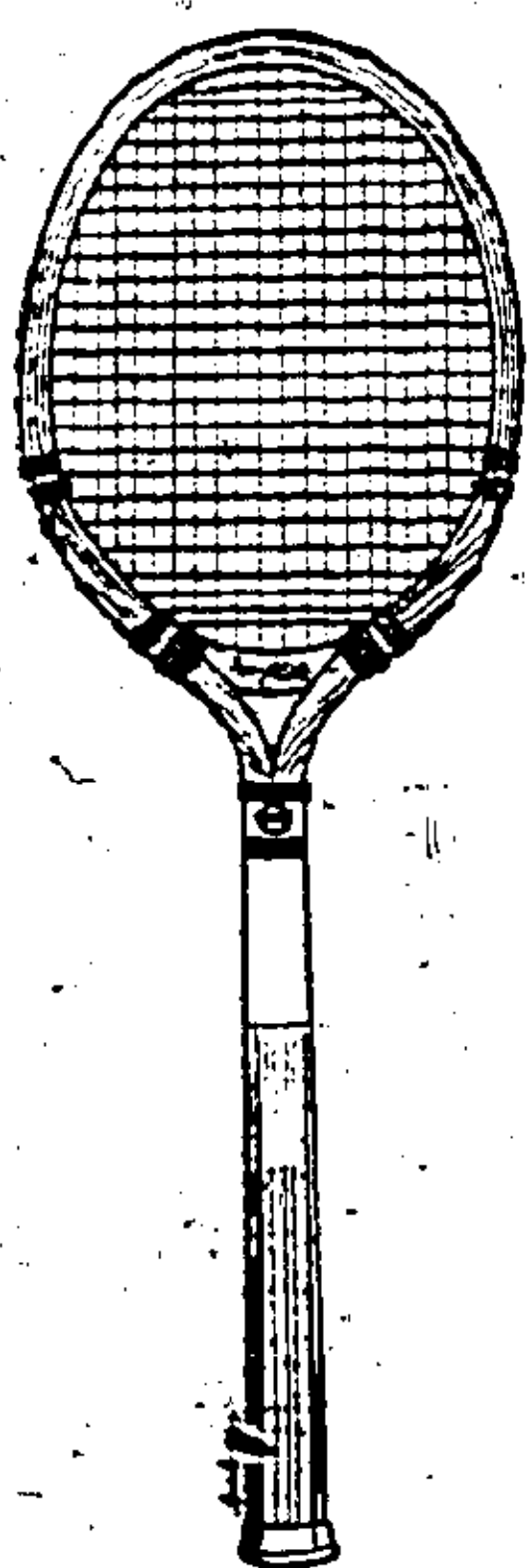
MASTER WORKS COLUMBIA

"Kreutzer" Sonata Friedman (Piano).
(Beethoven) Huberman (Violin).
Quartet A Minor Lerner String Quartet.
(Beethoven)
Concerto E Minor Szegedi (Violin).
(Mendell Sohn) London Phil. Orch.
"Farewell" Symphony Sir Henry Wood.
(Haydn) London Sym. Orch.
Symphony No. 6 "Pathétique" Oscar Fried.
(Tschalikowsky) Royal Phil. Orch.
Unfinished Symphony Sir Henry Wood.
(Schubert) London Sym. Orch.

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CHAMPIONS WIN IN MIXED DOUBLES LEAGUE

(Continued from Page 4)

The K.C.C. fielded two newcomers, A. W. Ramsay taking A. E. P. Guest's place as the latter was resting after a recent illness, while Mrs. Lammert partnered C. E. Watson, but these changes did not tend to strengthen the side.

With the exception of one of the courts, the turf was in really no condition for play, the centre court being very patchy.

Hung and Mrs. Litton were the pick of the winners, the latter returning Clark's very fast service in confident manner, while she was also strong in other departments. Tsui Yan-pui and Miss Perry also played up to form, the former being very steady while Miss Perry's service and strong forehand secured her many points.

Clark's weakness was at the net, where his volleying was extraordinarily weak, but Mrs. McCaw was outstandingly good.

The other two K.C.C. pairings were very weak, although Ramsay, who was troubled in the later stages by several broken strings in his racket, played well.

T.T. RACE OPEN TO WOMEN

R.A.C.'s New Ruling
For September Event

London, June 12.
For the first time in the history of the International Tourist Trophy Race women will be eligible to drive. They will not be allowed to act as mechanics.

The regulations for the race, which will be held on the Ards Circuit, near Belfast, on September 5, have just been issued by the Royal Automobile Club.

Entries are confined to sports cars of standard type as distinct from purely racing cars, as usual, but the alterations that may be

PIGEON TEAM RACE

Interesting Event At
Sha Tau Kok

A very interesting pigeon team race (the birds being owned by the men of the two British battalions stationed at Shamshui) took place last Saturday when the birds were all released simultaneously at 3.30 p.m. at Sha Tau Kok, in the extreme north-eastern corner of the New Territories. The first bird arrived in its loft at Shamshui at 4.16 p.m. The others quickly followed, and by 4.55 p.m. the team placing was decided, the result being: 1, 2nd Bn. The East Lancashire Regiment; 2, 2nd Bn. The Royal Welch Fusiliers.

The owner of the winning bird was Pte. Langton, of the East Lancashire Regiment, and his entry was followed 19 minutes later by two pigeons who dead-headed for second place, and were the property of Pte. Lewis of the Royal Welch Fusiliers, and Pte. Thorpe, of the East Lancashire Regiment, respectively.

Other owners included L/Cpl. Cleave and Pte. Quilliam, of the Fusiliers, and Pte. Holden of the East Lancshires.

WOODBURN F. C. HAVE OWN GROUND

Selkirk, the oldest "soccer" club on the Borders, are to have several new players in their team next season. The Woodburn side are again to compete in the Border Amateur League, and the majority of their players will again be engaged. Woodburn have now a ground of their own.

made to the competing cars are set out in detail.

The distance has been reduced from 35 to 30 laps, making a total of 410 miles.

The prizes are £500, £300 and £200 for the first, second and third in the race, £30 for every car that finishes, and a £30 team prize.

MAGNIFICENT POLO DISPLAY BY ENGLAND

VETERAN GOLFER'S PERFORMANCE

LEADS FIELD IN LEEDS TOURNAMENT

PLAYING IN 40TH CHAMPIONSHIP!

(By George Greenwood)

Leeds, June 11.
TOM WILLIAMSON, of Hollinwell, Notts, a veteran of 56, who was a prominent figure in British golf in the days of the famous triumvirate Vardon, Braid and Taylor, had the distinction of leading the field with 140 in the qualifying round of the £750 Tournament on the Temple Newsam course here to-day.

Starting his career at the age of 16, he has been attached to the same club over 40 years. He was given a week's trial as professional, an appointment that has never been confirmed. Williamson played in his first international match for England 34 years ago, and was fourth in the Open Championship in 1914, when Vardon gained his sixth and last victory. In a few days Williamson will be going to Hoylake to play in his 40th championship—a remarkable record.

With two rounds of 70, he held a lead of three strokes over W. J. Branch, an assistant to his father at Henbury, Gloucestershire. Perry, the Open Champion, J. Adams, a young Scotsman now at Romford, J. J. Bussan, of Harrogate, and R. E. Ballantine, of Moorstown, tied for third place with 145. Padgham, Cotton and Mitchell qualified with two strokes, and Alliss, C. A. Whitcombe and W. J. Cox with only one stroke to spare.

U. S. A. DELEGATION TO OLYMPIC GAMES

Record Entry Competing
In 114 Events

New York, June 29. — A record entry of 542 men and 53 women will represent the United States in the forthcoming Olympic Games to be held in Berlin.

The Americans will participate in 114 events, and the only events in which they will not take part are Greco-Roman wrestling, polo, and rifle-shooting.

NEW ATHLETIC TRIUMPH FOR A. G. K. BROWN

Kinnaird Trophy For
Achilles Club

RAMPLING DEFEATED IN
RECORD BREAKING
QUARTER-MILE

Fleet Street, June 15.
Achilles Club, with 70 points, gained a sweeping victory in the twenty-second annual Kinnaird Trophy competition at the White City on Saturday. This was their thirteenth win in the series, and their aggregate of points was more than the combined totals of the next two clubs.

Having been subjected to a considerable amount of rain, the hard brick-dust track was in fine condition for fast running, and three new records were made and two best performances equalled.

Jack Lovelock (Achilles) won the three miles in 14 min. 20.15 sec. 4.35 sec. better than the meeting record made by Joe Cottrell (Surrey) in 1925.

Rampling Beaten
After tying with Billy Apple-garth's 1914 record of 9.9 sec. in the 100 yards, Godfrey Brown (Achilles) went on to win the quarter-mile in 48.3 sec. with Rampling, holder of the old record of 49.4 sec. (1934), a close second.

The remaining record to be broken was that in the half-mile, where Jack Powell (London A.C.) showed 1 min. 55.4 sec. against the record of 1 min. 56.6 sec. made three years ago by the late Mike Guttridge.

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GOALKEEPER FOR THE 'SPURS'

Tottenham Hotspur have signed J. Hall, goalkeeper in practically all Manchester United's promotion games last season, including that against the 'Spurs' at White Hart Lane. Hall gained a place in the United League side in 1933, but until last season had not played regularly in goal.

The conspicuous failures were W. H. Davies, a Ryder Cup player, and Angel de la Torre, several times Spanish champion.

Model Of Consistency

Williamson's golf was a model of consistency. Without pretending to be a long hitter, he can claim to be one of the most accurate. His long iron shots were hit smartly and cleanly, and the pitches to the plateau green perfectly judged.

A feature of an exhilarating display was the putting. Williamson's approach putting was so deadly that the next putt became a mere formality.

He had two adventures, one at the 8th, where his drive became wedged against a wooden post on the edge of the fairway. Under the rules relative to immovable balls, Williamson was permitted to pick and drop without penalty.

The other adventure was at the 18th, where he needed a four for a 68. Unfortunately, his iron shot swerved off the green to the right, and, pitching back, he took three putts for the first time in two rounds.

CANZONERI AFTER HEAVIER CROWN

May Give Up His
Present Title

MONTANEZ'S CLAIMS FOR
LIGHTWEIGHT BOUT

New York, June 29.

Tony Canzoneri may relinquish his world's lightweight boxing championship and attempt to lift the welterweight crown from the head of Barney Ross, it was learned to-day.

Canzoneri's manager is to confer with the New York State Boxing Commission to-morrow and if they can reach an agreement to split the gate evenly, Tony may sign to fight Ross late in July or early in August.

It was expected that the welterweight title fight would be over 15 rounds.

The scrap is likely to occur on the same night that Lou Ambers, young Italian-American contender, and Pedro Montanez, flashy brown boxer from Puerto Rico, fight 15 rounds for the lightweight title which Canzoneri must relinquish if he is to fight Ross.

Montanez's Challenge

Montanez won the world's junior lightweight title from Frankie Klick early this month and his whirlwind record in his short career has made him a top-notch contender for the lightweight crown.

Canzoneri was regarded only a few months ago as past his prime and definitely fading as a boxing star. He upset predictions how-



E. B. da Rosa, above, is not likely to take part in the V.R.C. aquatics this season as he is still unfit.

WORLD TITLE FIGHT FIXED IN DECEMBER

Carroll To Meet
Barney Ross

REFEREE NOT TO BE KNOWN
UNTIL MEN ARE IN RING

Melbourne, June 18.

Mr. C. Lucas has fixed the world welterweight championship fight between Barney Ross (America) and Jack Carroll (Australia) for Sydney Sports Ground on December 8, and at present there is no plan for any world championship in Melbourne.

Ross will come to Australia under a contract which stipulates that, in the event of his losing the first fight, he will be given a return bout within 90 days. Mr. Lucas's impression, before leaving America, was that Ross would want any return fight to be staged in Sydney also.

However, Mr. Lucas considers that if Ross can be shown before December 8 that Melbourne would be attracted by a title fight with Carroll, he might sign to meet Carroll again in Melbourne.

Six Big Fights

Mr. Lucas plans to have Jimmy McLarnin reach Australia soon after Ross, and provide a series of at least six big welter fights in Sydney and Melbourne. He plans to match the Ross-Carroll fight with McLarnin in Melbourne, and put the winner of that bout against the champion in Sydney, allocating suitable guarantees.

Before Mr. Lucas left America, McLarnin expressed a willingness to fight three bouts here, two in Sydney and one in Melbourne.

Barney Ross is to receive \$12,500 and Jack Carroll \$3,500 for the championship fight.

American Is Cautious

The Referee for the world welterweight title battle between Barney Ross and Jack Carroll, will not be announced until the men enter the arena, but he will be a well-known and approved Australian official.

This stipulation has been insisted upon by Sam Plan Ross's manager. He has taken the precaution from an American outlook—gangster fears and graft influences.

Another specification by Plan is that he shall be present in Carroll's dressing-room to watch the bandaging of Carroll's hands, while a representative of Carroll shall witness the bandaging of Ross's hands.

No Chances

According to Mr. Lucas, Ross said: "I cannot afford to take any chances. Nobody can tell me that Carroll can't fight. I know too much about him."

Ross is a jeweller and is the Beau Brummel of boxing. He has a business in Chicago, which is managed for him by his brother Ben.

"Training is a pleasure to Ross," added Mr. Lucas. "He is a baseball fiend, plays the piano and sings well. He is a combination of boxer and fighter."

It is also probable that John Henry Lewis, the light-heavyweight champion of the world, may visit Australia for a title fight under Mr. Lucas's control.

ever and showed surprising form in recent bouts. In his last fight, Tony beat Jimmy McLarnin in a 10-round non-titular bout in points decision. (United Press).

FIRST WESTCHESTER CUP MATCH

BALDING JUST FAILS TO SAVE GAME

HUGHES HERO OF MATCH

(By R. Sheepshanks)

London, June 11.
AMERICA beat England by 10 goals to 9 at Hurlingham yesterday in the first of the three matches for the Westchester Cup, after the hardest and most exciting game ever seen in this country.

America deserved to win, for they did slightly the more attacking, hitting behind their opponents' line—apart from goals—12 times, as against eight by England. But England may well hold themselves unlucky to have lost.

Two of their shots, which would otherwise have scored, were stopped by ponies, one of the best shots in the game—an 80-yard one from the boards by Mr. Balding—hit the post, and Mr. Tyrrell-Martin, in the final period, was deprived of an excellent chance of scoring by a cross, for which (after a reference to the referee) only a 60-yard penalty was awarded.

There was not one dull minute in the game. It was fought out from start to finish at the maximum of speed and with the minimum of mistakes; its fluctuations were such as to arouse in the supporters of each side alternately the hope of victory, and the result was in doubt up to the last stroke of the game.

The first two periods were as nearly level as possible, America having a slight advantage, fairly represented by a lead of one goal. In the third America scored three goals to nil, and the hearts of England's supporters sank.

Strokes Of Bad Luck

But in the fourth England replied with exactly the same score, and in the fifth—a very good and hard period—America had maintained their lead of a single goal. In the sixth America increased their lead by two goals, but in this period England were robbed by fortune alone of two chances of keeping the score at its previous level.

In the final period England made a heroic effort, and had decidedly the better of the play. They scored two goals to nil and came within an ace of equalising.

The Americans played their usual well considered tactics, relying on their No. 1 to do the scoring, and hitting up to him a series of long passes right through the game.

Of these Mr. Pedley took full advantage, always riding at full speed to get to the right spot, and almost always being there with the right scoring shot. He scored all his side's goals but one—a goal which was awarded against England for a foul after a shot by Mr. Pedley being included in his total.

Mr. Phipps was working hard and cleverly throughout the game, but was prevented by Mr. Tyrrell-Martin from making any spectacular showing. Mr. Iglehart played a sound and accurate game at No. 3; always correct and giving nothing away. Mr. Guest was hardly as good as he was expected to be. He hit a consistently long ball, but was not as quick to take attacking chances as a great back should be.

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"It is with the greatest possible regret that I have come to this decision, but I could not see that it was for the benefit of the side or the individual players that I should join the side for an odd match on two or three occasions during the season.

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CHELSEA MAKE VERY BIG PROFIT

Directors Recommend Good
Dividend

The accounts of Chelsea F.C. for last season show a balance of £4,150 11s. In addition £2,000 has been set aside to reserve for income-tax.

Net gate receipts were £43,075 6s. 6d., an increase on the previous year of £2,154 2s. 3d. Wages, benefits, transfers, bonuses and talent-money totalled £24,442. The directors recommend the maximum dividend of 7½ per cent, less tax.

RETIREMENT OF PERCY FENDER

County Cricket Loses
A Great Player

INTERCHANGE OF LETTERS

London, June 13.

The retirement from county cricket of Mr. P. G. H. Fender, who captained Surrey for 10 years and also played for England, was officially announced yesterday.

Mr. Fender's decision, writes Thomas Mout, will cause no surprise. I was able, on May 16, to explain his position in relation to the club, who had invited him to play in only five matches this season.

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RECORD PROFIT FOR GILLINGHAM

Big Transfer Fee From
Crystal Palace

London, June 8.
Thanks to the £1,000 received from Crystal Palace for Turton, their fullback, Gillingham F.C. will be able to show a record profit of £900 on the season.

This sum does not include £750 paid by the Spurs for Dunn, the Kent club's half-back, and this amount will appear in their next balance sheet.

Inquiries have been renewed respecting Tadman, the club's outside-right, for whom a four-figure offer was refused earlier in the season.



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Hong Kong, Tuesday, July 7, 1936.

No Truck With Disorder In Palestine

Speaking for the first time as Colonial Secretary, in the House of Commons recently, Mr. Ormsby-Gore made it clear that the British Government will offer no concession to the forces of disorder in Palestine. The cessation of violence and the reassertion of the Government's authority are conditions precedent to the investigation of Arab grievances. No further steps will be taken to appoint the projected Royal Commission, or even to draw up its terms of reference, until the acts of violence which are taking place under the name and form of a strike have been brought to an end, and the appeal to force abandoned. By way of giving further point to the Minister's words, additional reinforcements were sent to Palestine and there are now seven battalions on the spot to deal with what is, in fact, a rising masquerading under a more respectable name. There is, as Mr. Herbert Morrison's supplementary questions helped to bring out, nothing in the conduct of this "strike" which can justify the use of a term devised, no doubt, in the hope of gaining the sympathy of British trade unionists. It is a political movement of a racial-religious character. It aims at Arab domination of the whole country, to be achieved through the wreckage of the present administration by rioters who are both well-organised and well-armed. Had the British Government consented to parley with leaders using such methods, it would have violated not merely the terms of its Mandate, but the first principles of constitutional government.

The firm language used in the House of Commons by Mr. Ormsby-Gore disposed of the face-saving suggestion that the British Government should agree to suspend further Jewish immigration until after the Royal Commission had reported. Had order been maintained in Palestine and had such a request been put forward by a constitutional deputation visiting London, it would have deserved consideration. But to entertain it then in the hope that acquiescence might enable the moderate Arab politicians to recover their lost authority, would have been weakness of the worst sort. No Government can accede to demands made revolver in hand. What the present situation requires is that the Jewish settlers in Palestine should receive the unconditional protection that they have the right to expect. They are not there on sufferance, but as the result of a policy deliberately announced by Britain and deliberately endorsed by the League of Nations. It is in itself entirely reasonable that a land holy to Jew, Moslem and Christian should shelter members of all three faiths, and in spite of all the feuds of the moment, the creation of a Council in which all can work for the common weal of Palestine is no empty dream. But internal peace, a readiness to live and let live, combined with a confidence in the Mandatory Power's sense of justice, is essential to any constitutional advance; and so long as intolerance, crudelity and agitation possess men's minds and provoke violence, there can be no alternative to the policy of the firm will and the strong hand.

CHOCOLATE BY POST

Another Case Of Poison?

Petworth, Sussex. — Suspicious circumstances have caused the police of Petworth to send a packet of chocolate to London to be analysed. It is thought that the chocolate may have been poisoned. The packet, which was received by Mrs. Henry Ayling, of Ball's Cross, near Petworth, bore the postmark "Godalming, Surrey." The address was in large block letters, as if written by someone who wished to conceal his or her usual handwriting. It appeared to have been written by an uneducated person.

The chocolate was a 1½ lb. slab. There were holes in it which it was thought might have been made in injecting poison. "I became suspicious immediately," Mrs. Ayling said, "The whole affair is a mystery, as I know no one at Godalming."

STOWAWAY WHO MADE GOOD

Charge Withdrawn At Company's Request

Southampton. — When Henry James Bunker, aged 23, a window-dresser, of Montreal, appeared before the Southampton Bench recently on a charge of stowing away in the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Australia at Quebec, Mr. A. R. Lightfoot, for the shipping company, asked permission to withdraw the charge. The company, he said, did not encourage stowaways. But this case was an exception. Bunker, a young man of good education, had apparently stowed away with idea of joining the Royal Air Force. He had impressed the ship's officers with his willingness, good work, and excellent behaviour.

The Bench granted the application.

FUNERAL OF LATE MR. T. T. CHING

Remains Interred At Kennedy Town

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon at Kennedy Town of the late Mr. T. T. Ching (Ching Tien-tau), a former Treasurer of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, who was shot dead by an unknown assassin outside his residence in Robinson Road on Saturday night. There was an attendance of over a hundred persons, including many ladies. The relatives travelled in motor-cars and a band followed the cortege from the Government Civil Hospital to the Yat Pit Ting, where the customary Chinese religious service was held. The mourners present included the widow, Mrs. T. T. Ching, and the two sons and four daughters of the deceased. A large number of wreaths were sent by friends and sympathisers.

Your Daily Smile!

A gossip is one who talks to you about others; a bore is one who talks to you about himself; and a brilliant conversationalist is one who talks to you about yourself.

More Convenient.
Woman: "No, I tell you I object to giving money at the door!"
Tramp: "Well, ma'am, perhaps you'll hand it out of the window. I'm not particular."

Identified.
The stout young man and his lady friend were returning to their seats in the theatre after the interval.
"Did I tread on your toes as I went out?" he asked the man on the aisle seat.
"You certainly did," grimly replied the other.
The stout youth turned to his companion.
"All right, Mary," he said, "this is our row."

Nothing to Walk On.
Enthusiastic Real Estate Agent (showing modernistic house): "There's not a flaw in the entire house."
Customer: "Do you mean to say they're leaving those out, too?"

Here There and Everywhere.

AMBASSADOR DRESSED IN MILK

Signor Grandi, the Italian Ambassador in London, is now wearing Snia Viscosa suits made of Lanital, the new Italian anti-sanctionist material. His example is shortly to be followed by all the members of the London Embassy, women as well as men.

Lanital, which is a synthetic woollen material, was invented a few months ago by Commendatore Antonio Ferretti. It is made of the waste products of milk. From 170 pints of milk the Snia Viscosa factory extracts 9lb. of butter. This leaves 7lb. of casein, an albumenoid which forms the basis of cheese. From this is extracted 7lb. of Lanital, which makes up into 14 yards of cloth.

WON'T MELT IN RAIN

The new product, samples of which were available recently, is absolutely indistinguishable from ordinary woollen cloth. In the same way the synthetic jute which is being manufactured from broom (*planta genista*) is exactly like the real jute for which Italy had hitherto to depend upon India. Lanital can be made up into any form from rayon to tweed. Princess Ruffo is head of the propaganda organisation for popularising it among Italian women, and other members of Roman society are giving a lead by wearing synthetic materials.

Unlike the German cloth substitutes of a year or two ago, which tended to disintegrate in a rain storm, this new material brought into being by sanctions, is impervious to wet.

The inventor's faith in this quality is shown by the fact that it is being made into bathing suits.

GRACIE FIELDS IN CRASH

Miss Gracie Fields escaped unhurt when a car she was driving in Marylebone-road, W., last month was involved in a collision and slightly damaged.

FORECAST POOL SCHEME

The National Bookmakers' Protection Association has appointed a sub-committee to formulate a scheme for conducting a forecast pool.

THE REAL COLONIAL PROBLEM

ALLIED TO QUESTION OF STRONG LEAGUE

AMICABLE CO-OPERATION WITHIN ITS FRAMEWORK

(By Commander King-Hall)

In a recent article I wrote, "Naturally, the countries that before one could get to the facts about the colonial world in which such events are possible, they are at a disadvantage." — that the current notions on this subject were in error.

I set forth in that article the facts which prove that the colonial problem is not, as so many people think, one of transferring territory and population in order to redress economic inequalities as between sovereign states.

The real issue in this colonial problem between the "Have Got" and the "Have Not" nations, is one of prestige and power politics. It is an issue which, if the world could look forward to centuries of peace, would not exist at all, but which in a world perpetually trembling on the brink of war is of first-class importance.

In Peace Time

In peace time the resources of both of men and material of these tropical lands are broadly speaking at the disposal of the whole world.

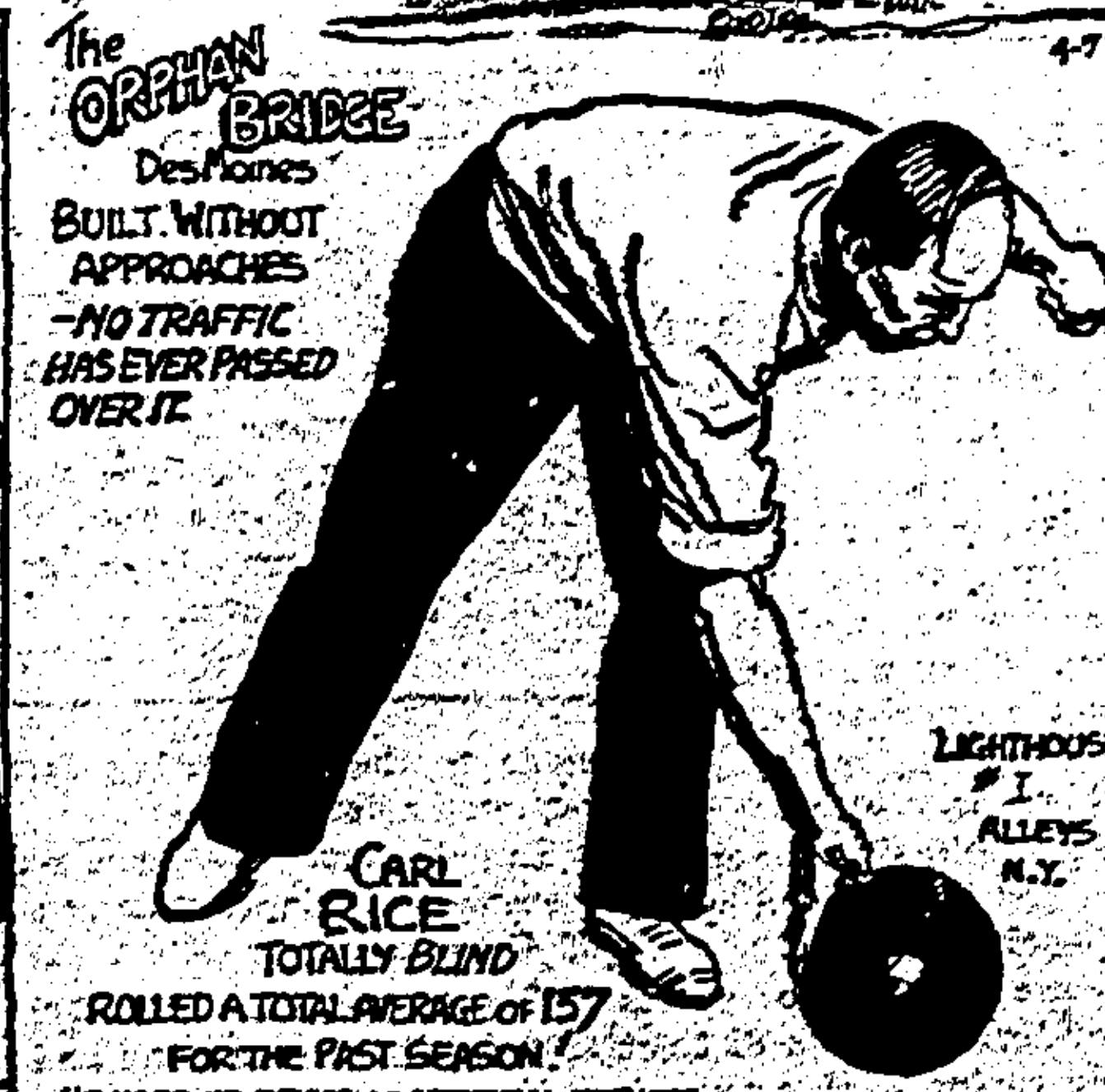
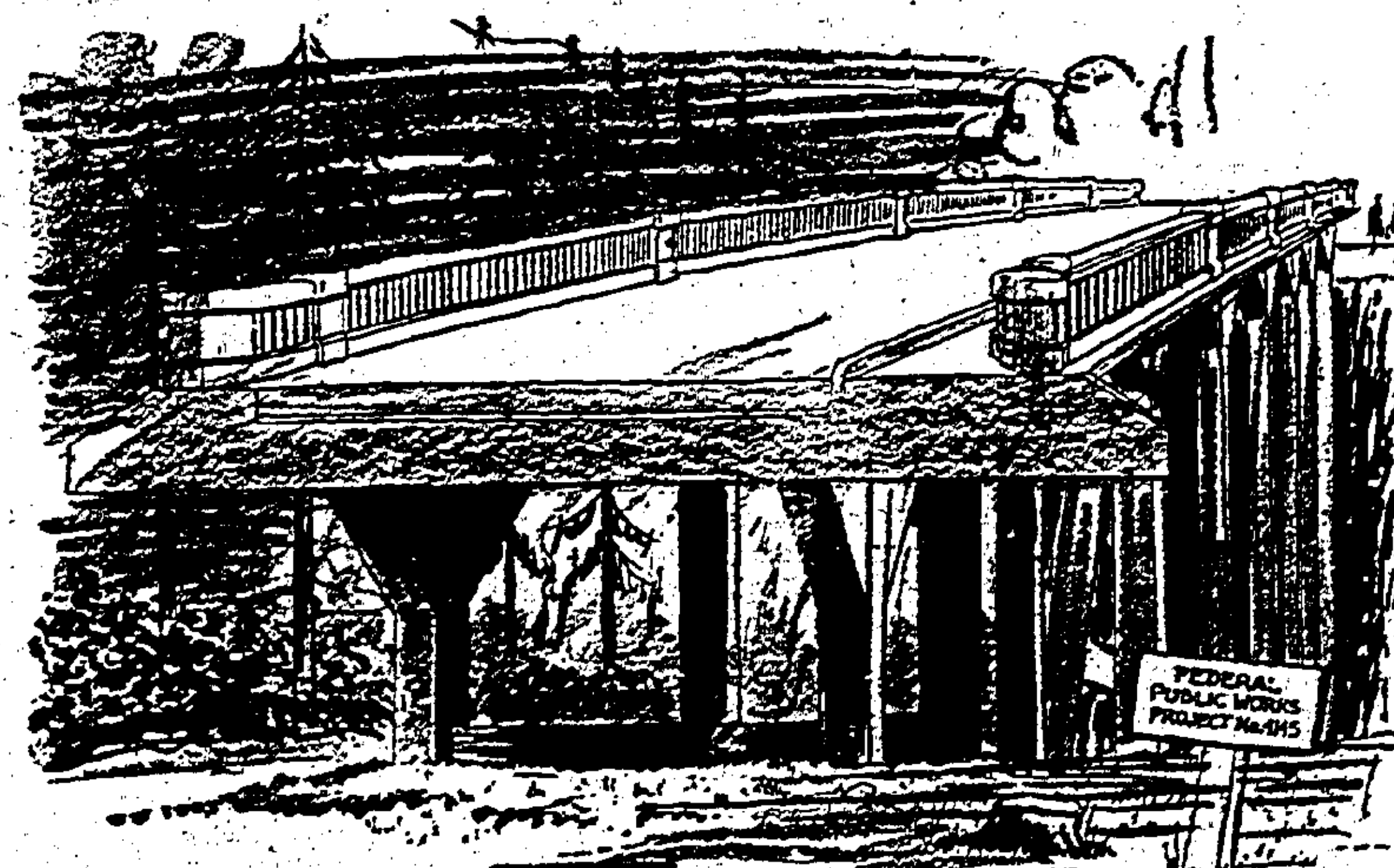
We can plead that such discrimination as is displayed against foreign goods in our colonies is not on a very large scale and is the result of the tariff barriers and export subsidies created by other countries.

Far different is the situation in time of strained relations or war. Some years ago there was a dispute between Russia and Great Britain in connection with the trial of the British engineers in Moscow. Within 12 hours of the result of the proceedings the British Government laid an embargo on trade with Russia, and this included export of certain raw materials from colonial areas.

Here was an example of a "Have Got" country using its political control over colonial areas in order to bring economic pressure to bear on a "Have Not" country.

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"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



HABITS OF FISH

JOINT FISHERIES COMMISSION OF U.S. & CANADA

Research Into Life Of Halibut

VALUABLE INDUSTRY SAVED FROM DECLINE

Victoria, B.C.—In the winter the mother halibut goes out to sea, sinks to a depth of about 1,000 feet and lays from 300,000 to 3,500,000 eggs. In May, the egg rises to the surface and hatches out a tiny, colourless larval fish which swims upright. But at four months it begins to assume colour on the right side and the eye on the left side migrates over the top of the head to lie finally beside its fellow on the right. Then the fish, instead of swimming upright, turns over and swims on its left side and its mouth appears to be on the right.

These are some of the facts published for the first time in an authoritative fashion by the International Fisheries Commission of the United States and Canada which has been studying the halibut intensively for six years. In a definitely report, just released, the commission tells the life-story of the halibut as it has never been known before—one of the most remarkable accomplishments in the history of fishery research.

Result Of Research

To find out the habits of the halibut, experts of the commission tagged thousands of fish, dredged for halibut eggs year after year and finally discovered facts about the ocean currents of the Pacific not known before. It found, for example, that the Japanese Current separates into two major branches when it reaches the American coast, one flowing south in the direction of the California Trades, the other passing north along the shores of the Gulf of Alaska. These facts were ascertained by the release of thousands of bottles containing post cards which were returned from places thousands of miles distant.

Knowing the ocean currents, the commission could chart the flow of the halibut eggs and the distribution of the fish. It is on such knowledge that it has based its regulation of halibut fishing. The regulations already in force have halted the decline in the supply of fish noted some years ago and have increased the fisherman's catch per unit of gear from 36 pounds to 60 pounds, the new report says. Thus, by co-operating, the United States and Canada are preserving one of the world's most valuable fisheries in perpetuity.

LAST DIARY ENTRY OF SUICIDE

To Be Commiserated, Says Coroner

A man's last thoughts in a diary before he gassed himself in an hotel off the Strand recorded that he inherited a craving for drink from his father, and it had ruined his life.

The Westminster coroner, Mr. Ingleby Oddie, said the man, George Lock, aged 38, who came from the Midlands for an interview regarding a position, was an object of commiseration.

He thought it was an undoubted fact that the tendency was transmitted from father to son.

Verdict: Suicide while of unsound mind.

\$20,000 GIFT TO HOSPITAL

In Memory Of Wife

Bristol.—In memory of his wife who died in London at Easter, Mr. Melville Willis, a member of the Willis tobacco family, has given \$20,000 to the endowment fund of the Bristol Homeopathic Hospital, of which he is president.

This was announced at the annual meeting of the hospital board by the chairman, Mr. H. G. Tanner, who read a letter from Mr. Willis in which he wrote that the gift was "in grateful memory of one who has been so much to me."



No Hollywood summer wardrobe is complete these days without a dotted swiss dress. Olivia De Havilland, film starlet, wears one to advantage. Note the unusual vest and jacket treatment featuring five white buttons, all in a row with white piping on skirt, collar and cuffs.

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS IN PHILIPPINES

Altar Used To Cost 80,000 Pesos

PROGRAMME OF PROCEEDINGS ALREADY ARRANGED

The altar to be used at the 33rd International Eucharistic Congress from February 3 to 7 will cost 80,000 pesos, while the broadcasting facilities will cost 70,000 pesos, according to estimates made by engineers asked to plan out these two features of the Congress. The plans have been submitted to the office of the city engineer for opinion.

Archbishop Michael O'Doherty, in agreement with Mgr. Heylen, bishop of Namur and president of the permanent committee of the international Eucharistic Congresses, has approved the speakers for the three meetings of the clergy and the hierarchy during the Manila Congress.

Mons. William Piani, apostolic delegate to the Philippines, will preach the Holy Hour for cardinals, bishops, prelates and priests on February 3.

At the first priests' international meeting on February 4, the report on the first theme of the Congress programme of studies will be preached by Father Froman, C. I. M.

Father John Ylla, O.P., will preach the report on the second and last theme, at the second sacerdotal meeting which will be held on February 6.

Latin, the official language of the Catholic church, will be the only language used. All the sacerdotal meetings will be conducted in Latin. Free and friendly discussion of the themes will not only be allowed but urged and encouraged.

STRIKE HOLDS UP "BLUE TRAIN"

First Failure In Its History

Nice.—For the first time since its inauguration in 1922, the famous "Blue Train" from the Riviera to Paris, did not run one night last month. It is composed entirely of coaches owned by the Wagons-Lits Company, whose workers are on strike.

Most of the passengers to England were warned beforehand, but a number arrived at various Riviera stations unaware of the cancellation and had to wait two hours for the ordinary express to Paris. The Blue Train from Paris to the Riviera ran normally.

\$400,000 LAWSUIT

ART DEALERS AT VARIANCE IN NEW YORK

Allegations Against Lord Duveen

"CONSPIRACY" ALLEGED BY PLAINTIFF

New York.

A sensational charge of plotting to prevent legitimate bidding at a sale of Old Masters in New York nearly seven years ago is made against Lord Duveen and Duveen Brothers Inc. in a suit for \$400,000 filed by Mr. Carl Hamilton, described as a New York art dealer.

A member of the Duveen firm described this accusation as being "absurd on the face of it," and added: "We cannot, of course, prevent Mr. Hamilton or his lawyer from bringing a suit of this character or from giving it publicity, but we are confident that when the case is tried in court, Mr. Hamilton's claims will be shown in their true colours."

Among the paintings involved are a "Crucifixion" by Piero della Francesca, and a "Madonna and Child" by Fra Filippo Lippi, both of which Mr. Hamilton purchased from Duveen Bros., and both of which were included in a group of pictures which he put up auction at Anderson Galleries in 1929. Duveen Bros. on that occasion bought back the Piero for \$75,000, and subsequently they sold it to Mr. John D. Rockefeller, jun.

Wealthy Clients

Mr. Hamilton asserts that these pictures, together with six others in his possession, were worth \$600,000 and that purchasers could only be found among persons of great wealth and among museums, most of whom, as clients of the Duveen firm, were guided

RUMANIAN SCIENTIST FINDS NEW ELEMENT

Discovery Named "Moldavium"

Paris. The French Academy of Science announce that M. Holubei, a Rumanian scientist of the University of Jassy, who works in France, has discovered Element 87 of the Mendeleef table. He named it "Moldavium."

by Lord Duveen's advice. He goes on to say that before sale at the Anderson Galleries Lord Duveen represented to him that arrangements had been made for certain Duveen clients to attend the sale and that they had been advised that such works as the Piero and the Fra Filippo were very valuable.

These representations, Mr. Hamilton holds, were part of a conspiracy to prevent Mr. Hamilton himself from arranging for the attendance of Duveen clients, and he further maintains that the Duveen clients had neither been advised to attend the sale nor told that the two paintings in question were valuable.

In his statement the member of the Duveen firm said that Mr. Hamilton purchased four pictures from the firm in 1917, including the two auctioned in 1929, and that on the sale of these four pictures he realised a profit of more than \$100,000. Each picture, this spokesman said, brought Mr. Hamilton a profit ranging from 150 to nearly 500 per cent.

Italian Found Guilty In N.Y. "Bath Murder" Case

New York.

John Fiorenza, 24, the upholsterer's assistant charged with murdering Mrs. Nancy Titterton, wife of an Englishman in the service of the National Broadcasting Company, has been found guilty of murder in the first degree.

Under the laws of New York State the verdict means that sentence of death must be passed upon him.

The jury took 20 hours to reach

FOUR EUROPEANS BECOME BUDDHIST MONKS

Ceremony At Ceylon Monastery

Colombo.—Four Europeans were ordained Buddhist monks recently at the Island Hermitage, Polgasduwa, in Dodanduwa.

Two of them are from South Germany, while the other two hail from Dublin and East Prussia.

CIRCUS ROMANCE

Armless Man Marries Giantess

FOUR-YEAR-OLD AFFAIR THAT BEGAN IN GERMANY

The armless man, Franz Bernardt, 24, and Marie Joelson, 32, his 7ft. 6in. bride, were married at Holy Trinity Church, Ramsgate, recently.

Their romance began in a circus in Germany four years ago. For three days they had been rehearsing the ceremony in English, and were word perfect when the rector, the Rev. R. W. Bamsall, conducted the ceremony.

The bride, who wore a gown of ivory satin and was attended by three bridesmaids, 30in. high, who were dressed in pale blue frocks.

She was given away by a companion, 7ft. 9in. tall, and the best man was a sword swallower.

The bridegroom signed the register with the pen held between his teeth.

Crowds showered confetti on the couple as they left the church.

LIVED FOR NEARLY A CENTURY

Woman Leaves 133 Descendants

The death has occurred in Portgaston, Cape Province, S.A., of Mrs. S. Lotter, who had about a fortnight to live to complete her ninety-eighth year. Born in the district, she was married eighty years ago. Her husband, Casper Lotter, died nearly forty years ago. They had 13 children, of whom four are still living.

The old lady had 150 descendants, of whom 133 are living, the fifth generation consisting of eleven.

Mrs. Lotter owned the land on which the town of Portgaston now stands and saw the building of the first dwelling around which the town developed.

She is survived by her only sister, who is 83 years of age.

WAR MEMORIAL AT VIMY RIDGE

To Be Unveiled By King Edward

PROMISE MADE AS PRINCE

Ottawa.

The King will go to France on July 26 to unveil the Canadian war memorial at Vimy Ridge.

Mr. Mackenzie King, the Canadian Prime Minister, made this announcement in Parliament last month.

It is understood that his Majesty's acceptance of the Canadian Government's invitation is in accordance with a promise he made when Prince of Wales.

A pilgrimage of 6,000 Canadians will leave Montreal in five liners on July 16 and 17. They will reach French ports on July 25.

Their verdict, being locked up all night. It is understood that the long delay was caused by the adherence of one juror to the plea for the defence that Fiorenza was insane when he committed the crime.

Mrs. Titterton was found strangled in the bath of her flat. A piece of upholsterer's cord with which she had been bound, was shown to have come from some supplier to the factory at which Fiorenza worked.

SUMMER

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ONE BIG FLAG DAY

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PIECEMEAL BLACKMAIL DOES NOT PAY

A move is afoot to start a common flag day for the big London hospitals.

A special committee has been formed to consider the question, and an early announcement is expected.

Started during the war, flag days have grown until they have had to be rationed in most large centres.

Every day would be a flag day if the police had not used their authority to limit them.

It is not only the public which objects to this method of polite and organised blackmail, but many of those who take part in the work have long since ceased to be enthusiastic.

The president of a national organisation in a town near London recently said: "Our local flag day is no unpopular that I am quite sure that on the balance we lose by it."

Strong Protests

"Even the husbands of our members will not give to flag days and dislike our taking part in them."

There is no doubt that flag days in London do raise money. Last year a total of £242,302 was raised in this way.

It is to be pointed out that this is a somewhat expensive way of raising money, as on a flag day the expenses amount to 12½ per cent of the funds raised, and in some cases the percentages are enormously high.

A London paper recently, under the heading "Flag Days: A Growing Nuisance," described the method adopted in the United States and Canada to replace flag days.

The American authorities make a concerted appeal once a year for the local Community Chest. A great effort is made, and the money raised is allotted on a proportionate basis to all local charities.

CHINA'S NEWSPAPERS

There are 375 morning and evening Chinese newspapers published in China, according to a survey recently made. Kiangsu, with 50 newspapers, has more than any other province while Peiping, with 45, claims a larger number of newspapers than any other city. Shanghai comes second with 30.

HONG KONG MARKET PRODUCE

APPROXIMATE RETAIL PRICES

	July 6, July		July 6, July	
	1936	1918	1936	1918
	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
POULTRY.				
Chicken	R.	48 30	Beef Sirloin	R. 22 34
Capons, Small	"	50 28	" Prime Cut	" 30 22
" Large	"	54 28	" Corned	" 35 22
Duck	"	35 22	" Roast	" 30 24
Doves	each	30 22	" Breast	" 24 28
Eggs, Hen (cook-			" Soup	" 25 20
ing)	per doz.	30 18	" Steak	" 30 24
Eggs, Hen (fresh)	"	32 25	" Steak Sirloin	" 45 38
Fowls, Hainan	R.	44 85	" Sausages	" 38 28
" Canton	"	64 —	Bullock's Brains	per set 17 10
Geese	"	30 23	" Tongue, fresh	each 70 50
Pigeons, Canton	each	44 80	" corned	" 1.00 00
" Hallow	"	28 20	" Head	" 2.00 —
Turkeys, Cook	"	72 —	" Heart	each 24 20
" Hen	"	68 61	" Hump, Salt	" 20 38
Snipe	each	20 20	" Feet	" 12 18
Pheasant	pair	1.70 2.20	" Kidneys	" 12 18
Quail	each	10 —	" Tail	R. 24 11
Partridge	"	10 —	" Tripe	" 80 0
FRUITS.				
Almonds	R.	90 35	Calves' Head & Feet	set 1.80 1.80
Lemons, China	"	14 —	Mutton Chop	R. 44 26
Bananas (bride's)	"	6 4	" Leg	" 44 26
Carambola	"	— —	" Shoulder	" 40 24
Cocumts (bride's)	each	12 10	" Saddle	" 44 26
Apples (California)	"	30 26	" Brains	per set 10 27
Lemons, American	each	12 10	Pigs' Chutlings	" 26 27
Lichest, Dried	R.	1.20 25	" Feet	" 14 15
Oranges (Canton)	"	— —	" Fry	" 26 15
Oranges (Sweet)	"	— —	" Head	" 16 28
Pears (Canton)	"	— —	" Kidneys	" 12 18
Oranges (American)	each	10 —	" Liver	R. 36 80
Persimmons, Large	"	— —	" Pork Chop	" 30 25
Pumelo, Siam	each	25 12	" Loins	" 38 60
Walnuts	R.	18 —	" Leg	" 39 60
Grapes	"	50 —	" Fat or Lard	" 24 21
VEGETABLES, ETC.				
Artichokes	R.	12 —	Sheep's Head & Feet	per set 90 60
Beetroot	"	12 —	" Heart	" 12 10
" Long	"	12 —	" Kidneys	" 15 10
Brinjals, Green	"	6 5	" Liver	R. 40 30
" Red	"	6 5	Sucking Pigs to Order	R. 45 25
Cabbage, Chinese	"	16 —	Suet, Beef	" 20 30
(Shanghai)	"	15 12	Suet, Beef	" 20 30
Cauliflower (Large)	each	24 —	" Mutton	" 26 28
" (Medium)	"	— —	Veal	40 20
" (Small)	"	— —	" Sausages	" 22 10
Carrots	R.	16 10	" No. 1	" 32 —
Celery, Chinese	"	26 26	FISH.	
Chillies, Dried	"	18 16	Barbel	R. 26 15
" Green	"	10 8	Canton Fresh	—
Curry Stuff, English	"	16 8	" Water Fish	" 22 —
Cucumbers	"	8 —	" Codfish	" 24 15
Garlic	"	10 6	" Crabs	" 40 65
Ginger, Young	"	12 7	" Cuttle Fish	" 18 05
" Old	"	10 20	" Dace	" 35 10
Horseradish, Shal	"	40 8	" Frogs	" 42 28
Indian Corn	each	6 1	" Eels Conger	" 40 —
Lettuce	R.	14 —	" Eels Fresh Water	" 68 16
Okras	"	6 8	" Eels Yellow	" 22 16
Onions, Green	"	6 8	" Garoupa	" 24 16
" Shanghai	"	6 8	" Hardoon	" 15 22
Parsley	"	65 80	" Halibut	" 35 13
Potato, sweet	"	4 3	" Lobster	" 40 68
" Japanese	"	— 3	" Maccheroni	" 24 62
" American	"	8 3	" Mullet	" 24 18
Pumpkin	"	4 4	" Oysters	" 22 12
Radish	bunch	6 —	" Peach	" 18 10
Rhubarb (French)	"	4 4	" Pike	" 18 10
Turnips, Point	"	4 4	" Plaice	" 22 20
(Long)	"	7 15	" Promet, White	" 32 35
Watercress	"	6 —	" Promet, Black	" 32 35
Vegetable Marrow	"	6 —	" Prawns	" 24 16
Water Lily Root	"	6 —	" Salmon	" 22 26
Spinach	R.	6 2	" Shark	" 14 10
Tomatoes	"	12 4	" Shrimps	" 16 30
Mushrooms	"	30 —	" Turtles	" 60 30
			" Tench	" 20 12
			Small Fresh water	—
			Soles	" 28 12

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BRITISH MEAT
IMPORTSNEW REGULATIONS
PROPOSED

SUBSIDY FOR HOME PRODUCERS

London, To-day.

The Government's proposals for
safeguarding the livestock industry
were disclosed in the House of
Commons yesterday afternoon by
the Minister of Agriculture, Mr.
Walter Elliot, in reply to a ques-
tion. He said that the Govern-
ment proposed to proceed on the
basis of a regulated market, with
the maximum supplies for the con-
sumer consistent with a reason-
able level of remuneration for the
producer.It was the Government's desire
that at the earliest possible date
the responsibility for securing
stable market conditions should
be assumed by the producers in
the various countries concerned
and exercised in the light of the
joint discussion of the problems
involved. This discussion would
be secured by the institution of an
Empire Meat Conference, repre-
sentative of the United Kingdom
and the other Empire countries
and foreign countries supplying
substantial quantities of meat to
this market.It would be proposed that, un-
less agreed otherwise, the aggre-
gate exports to this market of
beef, frozen and chilled, and meat
equivalent of fat cattle during
each of the next three years
should not exceed recent levels.
Further proposals as to market re-
gulation were under discussion
with the Governments of the
countries concerned.

Permanent Subsidy

The Government proposed to in-
vite Parliament to make provision
for a permanent scheme for pay-
ment from the Exchequer of a
subsidy to the producers of fat
cattle in the United Kingdom
which, while not stimulating the
artificial expansion of the home
industry, would continue for so
long as and to the extent that the
situation may require. Imme-
diately after the summer
recess Parliament would be in-
vited to pass legislation providing
for the collection of Customs
duties on imports of chilled,
frozen and other descriptions of
beef and veal from foreign coun-
tries.It was not proposed that there
should be duties on the imports of
beef from Empire countries or on
imports of mutton and lamb from
any country. The Government
proposed to seek the authority of
Parliament to apply to the as-
sistance of the cattle industry such
sums, not exceeding \$5,000,000 a
year, as may from time to time be
needed. As an offset to this
liability the Exchequer will bene-
fit to the extent of the revenue
from import duties.

Quality Production

The Cattle Committee which ad-
ministers the present temporary
subsidy will consult with the
various interests concerned, so
that the payment to home produc-
ers of fat cattle will be so adjust-
ed as to encourage quality pro-
duction. As regards mutton and
lamb, the imports of which are at
present regulated in the case of
foreign imports under the statute
and in the case of Dominion im-
ports by voluntary arrangements,
the Government propose to con-
tinue the present system for the
year 1937. The question will fall
for consideration in due course,
whether thereafter the Interna-
tional Meat Conference, in asso-
ciation with the Empire Meat
Council, should operate in regard
to the exports of mutton and
lamb to this market. As a pre-
cautionary measure, the Govern-
ment will ask Parliament to give
them general power to regulate
the imports of livestock and meat
should the need arise.—British
Wireless Service.

ESCAPED BULL SWIMS RIVER

As an Aberdeen-Angus bull was
being unloaded at Berwick, it
escaped, ran through the town and
swam more than half a mile down
the River Tweed before being
captured.NEW YORK SHARE
MARKETAdvice To Sell On
StrengthSUCCESSION OF QUIET
MARKETSMessrs. White, Weld and Com-
pany, New York Correspondents
for Messrs. S. E. Levy and Com-
pany, report:—Stocks: Our recent opinion is
unchanged and we would sell on
any feeling of strength. We ex-
pect a continuance of last week's
trend, with a succession of quiet
markets. Business done: \$40,000
shares.Wheat: The weekly weather
forecast indicates only scattered
showers and temperatures are still
above normal. Unless Canadian
growing conditions improve ma-
terially, we expect higher Chicago
and Winnipeg markets.Cotton: The Trade easily ab-
sorbed sales by the Producers'
Pool for October, and only a mo-
derate amount of cotton is now
believed to be left. The average
of private acreage estimates
amounts to 31,244,000 acres. The
apparent inclination and ability
on the part of consumers to in-
crease their inventories are addi-
tional factors helping the major
up-trend on the principal com-
modity markets.Flash: According to latest ad-
vices, the weather throughout the
American and Canadian wheat
belts continues bullish.Steel mill activity during the
past week is estimated at 67.2 per
cent. of capacity, as compared
with 74.0 per cent. the previous
week.

COMMODITY PRICES

The following quotations have
been received by Reuters:—Prev. Yesterday
Closing Closing

New York Cotton:

July 12.40 12.52

October 11.71 11.83

December 11.74 11.87

January 11.72 11.87

March 11.79 11.92

May 11.83 11.94

Spot 12.49 12.62

New York Rubber:

July 16.35a 16.50a

September 16.48 16.60

October 16.50 16.62a

December 16.58 16.70

January 16.60 16.73a

March 16.68 16.79

May 16.77 16.88

Chicago Wheat:

July 101 105 7/8

September 101 106 1/2

December 102 107 1/2

Chicago Corn:

September 71 75 1/2

December 66 70 1/2

Winnipeg Wheat:

July 87 92 1/2

October 87 91 1/2

December 87 92 1/2

INTERNATIONAL
TIN QUOTABolivia Surrenders A
Portion Of RightsThe following was the list of
local share quotations issued
to-day:—

H.K. Bank \$1,580 sa.

H.K. Bank (London) \$102 n.

Chartered Bank \$14 1/2 n.

Mercantile Bank A. and B.
\$31 n.

Mercantile Bank C. \$14 n.

Bank of East Asia \$73 n.

Insurances

Canton Ins. \$255 n.

Union Ins. \$255 n.

China Underwriters \$1 n.

China Fire Ins. \$462 n.

H.K. Fire Ins. \$250 n.

International Asso. Sh. \$3 1/2 n.

Shipping

Douglases \$36 n.

H.K. Steamboats \$2 b.

Indo-China (Pref.) \$30 n.

Indo-China (Def.) \$20 n.

Shells (Bearer) 96/3 n.

Union Waterboats \$12 a.

Docks, etc.

H.K. and K. Wharves \$83 n.

H.K. and W. Docks \$10 b.

Providents (Old) \$1.05 n.

Providents (New) 20 cts. n.

Hong Kew Sh. \$185 n.

New Engineering Sh. \$4 n.

Shanghai Docks Sh. \$100 n.

Mining

Kailan Mining Ad. 11/6 n.

Langkats (Single) Sh. \$3 n.

APPLICATION OF ARTICLE XVI AGAINST ITALY NOT NEGLIGIBLE

HARBOUR OFFICE REPORT

1935 Shows Better Results

BRITISH SHIPPING HOLDS ITS OWN

The Annual Report of the Harbour Department, which has just been issued, shows that the amount of shipping using the port of Hong Kong during 1935 was considerably larger than that of the previous year.

All-Round Increase
The grand total of ships engaged in foreign and local trade which entered and cleared during the year was 94,653 totalling 43,473,979 tons, which compares with 93,754 ships and 41,914,022 tons during 1934. Similarly, the crews show an increase in number; in 1934 the total number of the crews entering and clearing was 2,473,706 while last year the total was 2,571,980. One unfortunate aspect of the review of the crews which visited the Colony during the year, however, is that though in 1934 there were slightly fewer British vessels using the port the percentage of European British among the crews was considerably below what it was last year. In 1934 the percentage of British was 11.02, of other Europeans and Americans, 0.72 per cent. and the remaining 88.26 per cent. were Asiatics. Last year, however, the percentage of British dropped to 9.35, the percentage of other Europeans rose to 0.75 per cent. and the percentage of Asiatics to 89.10. Similarly the percentage of British employed on foreign ships which used the harbour dropped from 0.42 per cent. in 1934 to 0.39 per cent. last year.

British Shipping
The position held by British shipping is fairly satisfactory. British ocean going ships entering and clearing show an increase of 268 and 475,911 tons, while British river steamers show an increase of 549 ships and 1,325,134 tons.

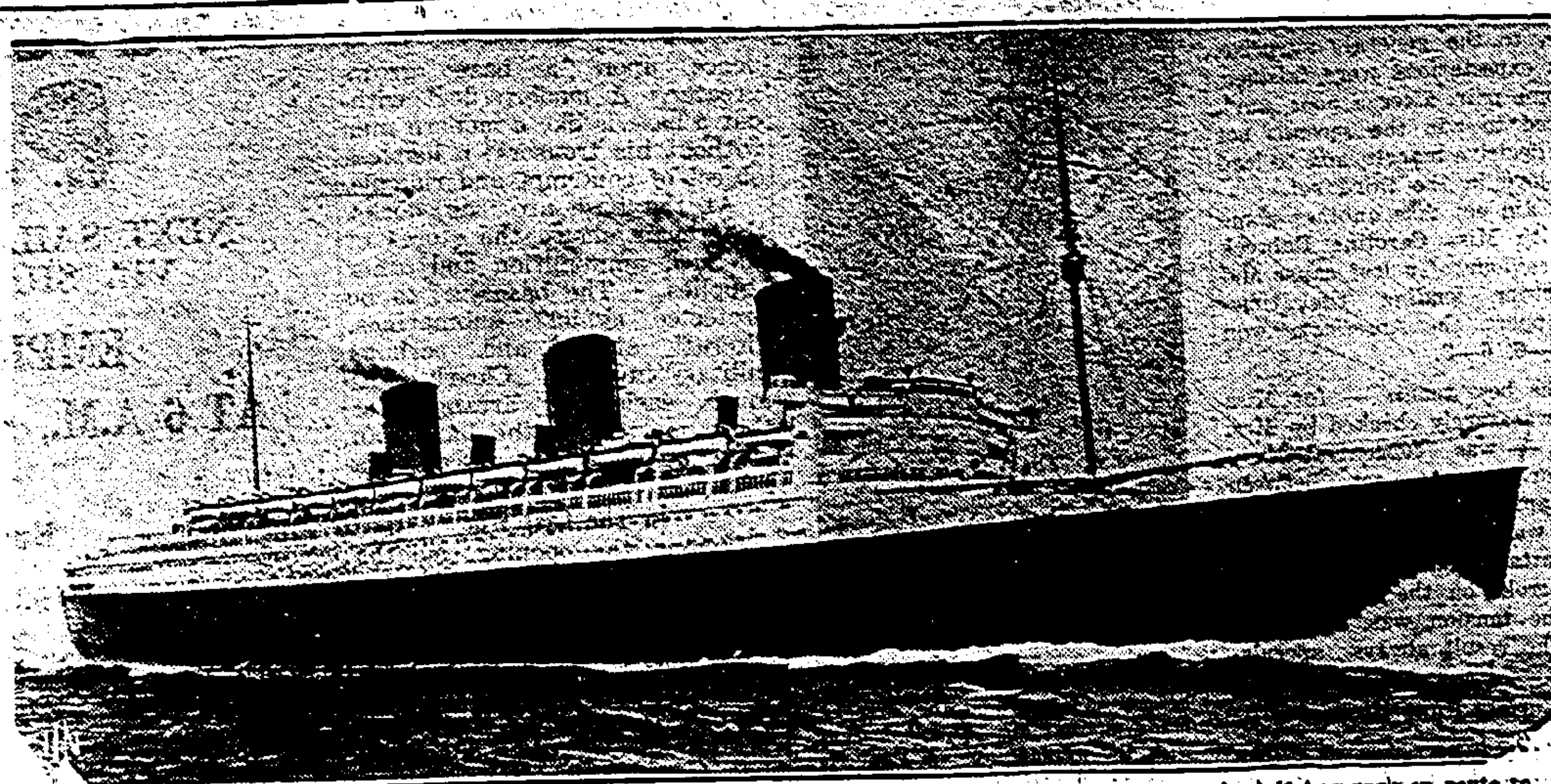
Foreign-going shipping, entering and clearing, showed a net increase of 1,510 vessels or 1,433,444 tons, while local shipping showed a decrease of 609 ships but an increase of 126,513 tons.

In the Report a number of diagrams show the relative losses or gains in shipping since the year 1916, and these diagrams show that the year 1935 was a considerably better one than a number which had gone before, not only in the gains which were made but in the turning of a decline into an increase.

Decrease Checked
In a diagram showing the total shipping of all classes which used the harbour, the year 1934 is shown to be the last of a series of years starting in 1932 during which the figures steadily declined. During 1935, however, this decline is turned into an increase and a substantial gain is made.

Similarly the diagram showing the amount of ocean-going tonnage using the harbour shows 1934 as the culmination of a series of years during which the amount decreased and 1935 the first year during which a substantial recovery was made. The diagram showing the British ocean-going shipping entering and clearing during the year is the most encouraging of all, for it shows a steady increase since the year 1926, the increase during 1935 being no less than that of the ten years that have gone before.

Expenditure Reduced
Despite this general increase in business which has gone through the Harbour Department, the less than any year since 1923.



The giant liner, Queen Mary, loaded with first voyage passengers, was cheered by 500,000 Britons as she left her dock on route to New York. Lacking a thousand tons of being the largest ship in the world, the Queen Mary will now try to be the fastest.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The next meeting of the Hong Kong Aquarium Society will take place in the Laboratory of the Biology Department of Hong Kong University to-morrow at 8.30 p.m. A talk will be given on "Rasbora, Danios, Barbs, and Trichogaster." It is hoped that about 150 fishes ordered will be received from Singapore before the next meeting. If so they will be distributed to all members present. Members are requested to bring containers.

There will be a rehearsal of "King Olaf" by the Hong Kong Singers in the Cathedral Hall at 5.30 p.m. to-day.

There will be a tombola at the R.A.M.C. Sergeants' Mess, Military Hospital, Bowen Road to-day at 8.30 p.m.

There will be a Social Evening at the European Y.M.C.A. to-day, beginning at 7.30 p.m.

The members of the Indian Company of the Hong Kong Police Reserve are giving a farewell tea party for Mr. D. L. King, former Deputy Superintendent of Police (R), on the 8th floor of the Gloucester Hotel at 5.30 p.m. to-day.

The Chun-Shing Institute of Commerce, No. 2 Glenelg, is now organising an Ambulance Class in order to acquaint the students with the most necessary knowledge in ambulance work. Dr. S. C. Chan M.B., B.S., has kindly consented to be the instructor of the class, which will start to-morrow, and lectures will be given every Wednesday, from 7.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m.

Three soldiers of the Royal Ulster Rifles have been arrested and are to be charged at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for an alleged attack on a taxi-driver in the early hours of yesterday. The men, according to a Police report, are Thomas Todd, Sidney Brown and Thomas Park.

Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day was 1.21 inch. The total since January 1 has been 27.52 inches, against an average of 41.31 inches.

By kind permission of Lt. Col. Rodwell and Officers, the band of the Royal Ulster Rifles will play selections at the St. Stephen's College, Stanley, Speech Day to-morrow afternoon, commencing at 5.15 p.m. Tea will be served from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Li Yee, aged 33, female, was this morning fined \$75, in default six weeks' imprisonment, by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy for soliciting.

The Mrs. Tjinegar will sail for Amoy and Shanghai at 4 p.m. on Thursday next.

Unrequited love is believed to be the cause of the action of an 18-year-old girl named Lau Luk-sin, of 171 Wellington Street, ground floor, who attempted to end her life by jumping from the fifth floor of the Tai Cheung Wah Hotel at 6.30 last evening.

She received published yesterday a Green Book containing many details of the serious injuries and was rushed to the Government Civil Hospital where she was reported to be in a critical condition last night.

Cheung Kwan, a female, aged 38, was yesterday admitted to the Government Civil Hospital suffering from severe scalds as a result of a pot of boiling bean curd being upset on her.

An unknown Chinese male was rescued from the harbour yesterday suffering from the effects of intoxication, and was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital.

Lee Kin, aged 54, a fitter employed at Messrs. Bailey and Company's shipyard, Hung Hom, died at the Kowloon Hospital last night from injuries sustained as a result of trying to replace a driving belt on a wheel while it was in motion.

Yung Kan, a married woman, residing on Junk No. 621, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday, suffering from superficial injuries received when she fell on board.

Kwok Cheung, aged 27, unemployed, was this morning bound over to keep the peace on a personal bond of \$100 for one year, when he came before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy, on a charge of loitering with intent at No. 103, Belcher Street, second floor.

A Dinner Dance will be held on the Open Roof of Repulse Bay Lido — weather permitting — and at Repulse Bay Hotel in the event of bad weather, to-morrow at 9 p.m.

BRITAIN AND EGYPT

Negotiations Making Good Progress

MILITARY PACT IMMINENT

Cairo, To-day.

The Anglo-Egyptian negotiations are making good progress and have surmounted the formidable last hurdle by virtually agreeing on the military question. The agreement is expected to be drafted in a few days and, provided the conversations continue the present favourable progress, an Egyptian Mission will be going to London to draw up a new treaty before the end of the summer.

AGREEMENT IMMINENT

Cairo: The arrival here of the British Foreign Office jurist, Mr. W. E. Beckett, is considered in Cairo political circles to indicate that an agreement on the military question is imminent, so that the terms will in a few days be committed to writing.

In that case the next subject of negotiation would be the Sudan question. It is expected that the British garrison at Cairo will be dissolved and the troops transferred to Suva, while Alexandria, which has been a naval base, will be life by jumping from the fifth floor of the Tai Cheung Wah Hotel at 6.30 last evening.

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ESPIONAGE CASE IN AMERICA

THOMPSON GETS 15 YEARS

ESCAPED MAXIMUM SENTENCE BECAUSE OF YOUTH

Los Angeles, To-day.

Thompson has been sentenced to 15 years' imprisonment. He escaped the maximum sentence owing to his youth. — Reuter.

Thomas Thompson and Toshio Miyazaki, described as a Lieutenant Commander in the Japanese Navy, were indicted by a Federal Grand Jury on 19 charges of violating the Espionage Act by communicating information relating to national defence to Japan.

Thompson was then in prison, for fraudulently wearing naval uniform to which he was not entitled, but it was believed that Miyazaki escaped to Japan before the opening of the investigation, which the Grand Jury had been conducting in regard to leakages of confidential reports on the recent Pacific Fleet manoeuvres and secret details of battleship equipment.

Later messages said that Thomas Thompson had been convicted and faced a possible 20-year sentence. He admitted supplying "clippings" about the United States fleet and receiving a salary of \$700 in one year. Ultimately he resigned "from the service of the Japanese Government."

Miyazaki's trial continued in absentia.

FRIEND TURNS THIEF

Theft Of Watch And Ring

Chan Tun, a spinster, aged 25, was sentenced to three weeks' imprisonment by Mr. Q. A. Macfayden at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when she was charged with the theft of a silver wrist watch and band and a gold ring, the property of Suen Fong, a married woman of No. 852, Canton Road, on July 4, last.

L. S. A. Hunter, who prosecuted, told the Court that the defendant called on the complainant and found her playing mah jong with some friends. She watched the game for a while and then went away. After she had left the complainant went into her cubicle, when she found her watch and ring were missing.

Continuing the officer for the prosecution said that the defendant was arrested upon information received by a Chinese detective who traced the watch to No. 11 Parkes Street, but the defendant stated that she had sold the ring to a goldsmith who, however, could not be traced.

In passing sentence of three weeks' imprisonment, Mr. Macfayden ordered the defendant to pay compensation of \$4 compensation, failing which she would have to serve another week.

Two cases each of diphtheria, enteric fever and cerebro-spinal fever were reported to the local health authorities during the 48 hours ended on Sunday.

STATISTICS TELL THE TALE

ITALIAN EXPORTS DROP 50 PER CENT.

LIFTING OF SANCTIONS "TREATED WITH SAME CALM AS APPLICATION"

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Geneva, To-day.

At the Sanctions Conference yesterday morning the British Government submitted a motion that the sanctions against Italy be raised by all States on July 15. Criticism of the action of the Polish Government in raising sanctions on its own account was expressed by the Spanish and supported by the British and French delegates. The motion of the British Government was then carried. The Chinese candidate expressed emphatically that China's consent to the lifting of sanctions did not imply any recognition of territorial changes.

Yesterday, the day when the sanctions were lifted, the League Secretariat published a great number of statistics which went to prove that even if in the case of the Italo-Abyssinian War the economic sanctions did not achieve their object, they proved a powerful weapon in the hands of the League of Nations. The figures showed that in consequence of the sanctions, the Italian exports dropped by 50 per cent. All that proves, says the report, that the first attempt to apply Article XVI was by no means negligible and that in any other conflicts where forces are opposed to each other, a support of this nature for the attacked State would be of great value, if the forces were not so unequal. The report then recalls that, according to British and French suggestions, the experiences gained on this occasion were to be examined critically by a committee of experts to be appointed.

Rome: Marked reserve is shown in Rome at the development of the international situation. The lifting of sanctions meeting with no other comment than that Italy will treat their removal with the same calm as on their application nine months ago. The same regard is shown with regard to the Locarno Powers' Conference, to which Italy up to now has received no invitation.

As for the continuation of the Dardanelles Conference, it is stated in authorised quarters that Italy will not send a delegate to Montreux for the time being.

JOURNALISTS' PROTEST

Geneva: One of the Italian journalists expelled from Geneva after the demonstration in the League of Nations Assembly on the occasion of the speech of the Negus, the correspondent Giucci of the *Corriere della Sera*, who is the only one living permanently in Geneva, has through his lawyers lodged a protest with the State Council and claimed a revision of the expulsion order, basing his claim on the grounds that he did not disturb the public order, as the incident concerned took place in a closed Assembly, to which only persons with permits had access. — Trans-Ocean Service.

practically no home life, are altogether illiterate, and are in great need of a helping hand. The new Club is designed for their benefit. There, they will receive the rudiments of education, they will have a pleasant place to congregate in the evening, and they will meet with sympathy and encouragement. The Club has made an excellent beginning, and it should rapidly become a very important institution in Kowloon. The Club will be open every night from 7 to 9 p.m.

U.S. SAILOR CHARGED

Alleged Assault Of Coxswain

A. C. Phipps, a 30-year-old American sailor (cook) of the U.S.S. Tulsa, appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with assaulting Leung Kam-shing, coxswain of the Hop Shing motorboat, yesterday, the latter being treated for facial injuries at the Government Civil Hospital.

In answer to the charge, Phipps said he could not remember assaulting the complainant, who was present in court with sticking plaster covering several wounds.

An officer of the Tulsa said his vessel was expected to remain in the Colony for at least another fortnight and his Worship then fixed the hearing of the case for Monday, July 13, at 11.30 a.m., bail in the sum of \$150 being fixed.

KOWLOON BOYS' CLUB

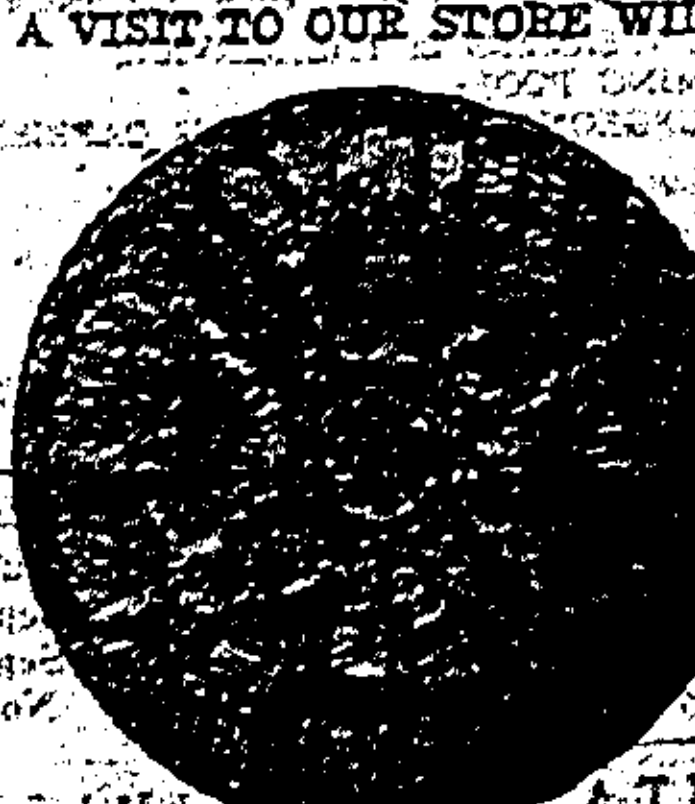
New Institution Opened

The members of the Third Order of St. Francis have just opened a Club for Poor Boys at No. 689 Shanghai Street, which is named St. Francis Boys' Club.

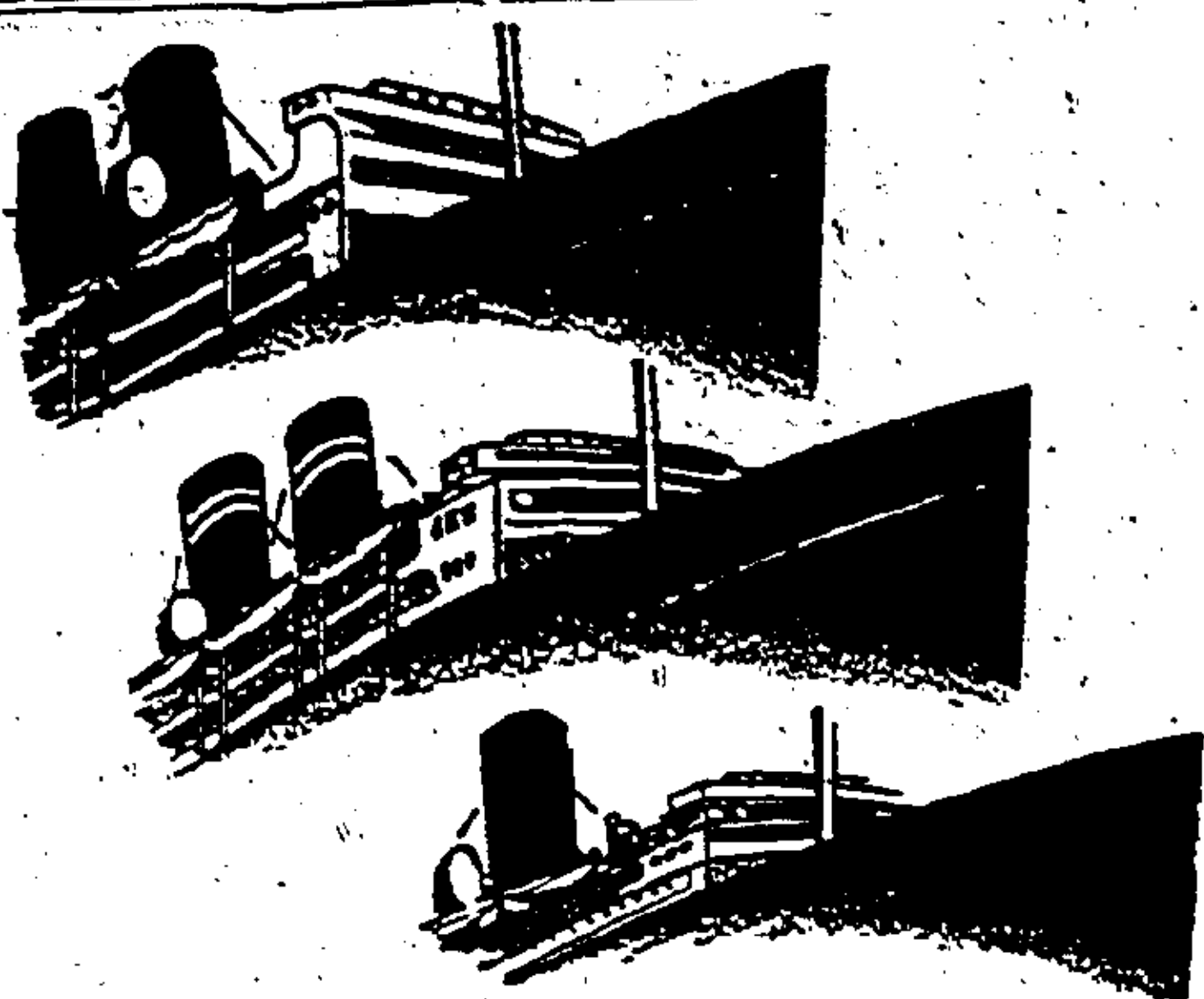
It is well known that there are a great number of young boys, newspaper sellers, boot-blacks, and others engaged in very poor occupations, or altogether unemployed, who have

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BRANCHI	17,000	25th July	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
MIRZAPORE	7,000	3rd Aug.	Straits, Bombay, Karachi.
SNALDERA	16,000	8th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
SOMALI	6,000	15th Aug.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
SKAISER-HIND	11,000	22nd Aug.	Bombay Marseilles & London.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
BANGALORE	6,000	12th Sept.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
CHITRAL	15,000	19th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
RANPURA	17,000	3rd Oct.	Marseilles & London.
BRUTAN	6,000	10th Oct.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	17th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
BEHAR	6,000	24th Oct.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
CORFU	14,500	31st Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RANCHI	17,000	14th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CARTHAGE	14,500	28th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
NALDERA	16,000	12th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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TALMA	10,000	15th Aug.	
SIRDEHANA	8,000	29th Aug.	
SHIRALA	8,000	12th Sept.	

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EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS

NEILLORE	7,000	1st Aug.	Manila, Rabaul, Brisbane, Sydney
TANDA	7,000	4th Sept.	Melbourne & Hobart.
NANKIN	7,000	2nd Oct.	

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

NALDERA	16,000	9th July	Shanghai & Japan.
SANTHA	8,000	9th July	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
SOMALI	7,000	15th July	Shanghai & Japan.
KAISER-I-HIND	11,400	22nd July	Shanghai & Japan.
TALMA	10,000	23rd July	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
TANDA	7,000	2nd Aug.	Shanghai & Japan.
BANGALORE	6,000	5th Aug.	Shanghai & Japan.
SIRDEHANA	8,000	6th Aug.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	6th Aug.	Shanghai & Japan.
SHIRALA	8,000	20th Aug.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.

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Year by year the Canadian Rockies are becoming the most popular summer playground of the continent due to the unparalleled beauty of the scenery, and the splendid opportunities for a real mountain holiday with riding, hiking, mountain climbing, swimming, golf, and tennis.

At Banff Springs Hotel, which will be open from June 12 to September 15, golf on a course that ranks with the best in the country is a chief attraction. Not to be forgotten, however, are the joys of riding and hiking to out-of-way places, mountain climbing, tennis on championship courts, fishing in tumultuous mountain streams and lakes that derive their rich colors from glaciers, and motoring, topped off by a swim in the sulphur or natural water pools and dancing in the large ball room.

Chateau Lake Louise, open from June 20 to September 15, is situated on Lake Louise, just opposite Victoria Glacier. Encircled by towering snow-clad peaks, it possesses a sheer breath-taking beauty and in addition attractions peculiarly its own. It is an excellent centre for excursions on horse-back or by foot to the scenic wonders of the district.

Emerald Lake Chalet and bungalow camps at Radium Hot Springs, Yoho Valley, Lake Wapiti, Lake O'Hara, and Moraine Lake will be open from June 20 to September 15. Off the beaten track, they combine a restful holiday with all the thrills of exploring a beautiful, untamed, mountainous land.

Five special events during the season will be Calgary Stampede, July 6-11; Trail Riders' official outing, July 31-August 4; Trail Hikers' official outing, August 7-10; Indian Days at Banff, July 24-28; and Golf Week, with around 50 prizes up for competition, August 16 to 22.

HEADMASTER ANGRY

Two Great Ships Scrapped

BUT OLD SCHOOLS REMAIN

"It is strange to find the mighty Mauretania and Olympic being broken up as commercially unprofitable, while schools with leaky roofs and holey floors—twice or three times their age—remain in commission. The cost of the two vessels would probably replace all the schools on the black list."

SCALDED TO DEATH

Children In Terrible Accident

Two children died last month in Epsom Infirmary, where they were taken together with their mother, after all three had been found suffering from severe scalding at their home, Parrots Farm, Burgh Heath, Banstead, Surrey.

They were discovered near a copper in the kitchen of the farm.

They were: Mrs. Gladys Barrett, aged 40, whose condition was stated last night to be unchanged; and her two children, Bryan, aged 8, and John, aged 4, both of whom died after admission to the infirmary.

They were found by the police.

PICNIC PARTIES STARTLED

Escaped Lioness In Skegness

Picnic parties on Skegness beach last month broke up in confusion when a fully-grown lioness appeared over the sandhills. She had escaped from a local amusement park while a keeper was cleaning her cage.

Stall-holders from the park, armed with whips, and other weapons, gave chase, and after an hour's freedom the lioness was concerned and shepherded into her cage.

DEATH AT THE WHEEL

After pulling his vehicle into the kerb at the corner of Queen's street and Cannon street, London, E.C., a 50-year-old motor driver collapsed over the wheel and died.

NEW ATHLETIC TRIUMPH FOR A. G. K. BROWN

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In the hurdles Don Finlay, out on his own from half-distance, won as he liked in 16 seconds, equalling the meeting record standing to the credit of G. C. Weightman-Smith since 1923.

Highlights of the meeting were Lovelock's three miles and Brown's sprint and quarter-mile double.

Near Shrub's Record
Lovelock, who is to run the 5,000 metres as well as the 1,500 metres for New Zealand at the Olympic Games, was trying his strength at the distance, and so well did he run that he was only 2 3/5 seconds outside Alf Shrub's English record.

With the critical eyes of Britain's Olympic selectors on his work, A.G.K. Brown, the new Cambridge University president, came through his first big open test with flying colours.

Records and champions have no significance in the eyes of this loose-limbed Warwickshire youth. He swept Sweeney, the A.A.A. champion, into submission in the hundred yards, then went on to beat the British record-holder, Rampling, in the quarter.

It must be said for Rampling that with more luck in the draw for lanes he might have reversed the placings. In the fifth lane he had to make all of the running, and it was not until Brown challenged on the straight for home that the Milocarian had any idea of the Cantab's position in the race.

Sydney Wooderson, reserving himself for a record-breaking effort in the Southern championship next Saturday, was content to win the mile in 4 min. 20.2 sec.

In the field events young J. L. Newman (L.A.C.) unexpectedly defeated Stan West (Polytechnic) in the high jump, while Duncan was again out on his own in the long jump, and Howland scored his eighth win since 1927 in putting the weight.

ESCAPED PRISONER CAPTURED

Three days search for a prisoner ended when a man who escaped in his night clothes from a Portsmouth hospital was arrested at Bognor Regis.

CAUGHT BY MACHINERY

While working on a threshing machine at Upper Froyle, Hants, William Henry Ward, aged 66, was caught in the machinery and killed.

H.K. FOOTBALL ASSN. ANNUAL REPORT

"Sunday Herald" Cup Donation To Charity

CLEANER STANDARD OF PLAY WITNESSED

The annual general meeting of the Hong Kong Football Association will be held at the Sports Club, King's Building, on Tuesday, July 14, at 5.30 p.m.

The annual report and balance sheet which is to hand, shows a loss of \$3,387.54 on the year's working.

The Sunday Herald International Charity Cup competition again resulted in the taking of a fairly substantial gate, a net gate receipt of \$4,732.54 being distributed among various charitable institutions throughout the Colony.

It is interesting to note that since its inception in 1925, this Competition has enabled the Association to distribute to local charitable organisations an aggregate of over \$40,000.

Strong Action

There was no doubt that the strong action taken by the Emergency Committee towards the end of the 1934-35 season, the appeals to players for more sporting and gentlemanly play and the good example set by many of the players themselves, resulted in a standard of behaviour on the field in the past season, which, while it still leaves room for improvement, promises well for the good name of Association Football in this Colony in the future.

H.E. Sir A. Caldecott, Kt., C.M.G., C.B.E., Governor of Hong Kong, graciously signified his consent, in February, 1936, to becoming Patron of the Association, an honour which was very greatly appreciated.

Car Party Fined £25

Each For Sunday Spree

Five young men were fined £25 each at Harlow recently for malicious damage.

Beer-bottle corks (said the police) led to their identification after a car ride one Sunday afternoon, during which the young men behaved thus:—

Cut telephone wires;
Put out electric lights at Roydon;
Threw speed-limit signs into a garden;
Took part of a signpost in the car and reversed the arms of another;
Placed a field gate across the road; and
Transferred a bath from a building site to a ditch.

During the afternoon, they said, they had eleven half-pints of beer. The five men were: John Ford, Epping Green; Leslie Bangs, High-road, Whetstone; James Brown, Muswell Hill; and Alan Digby, Crouch—all aged 21; and Denis Croft, Winchmore Hill, aged 18.

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RETIREMENT OF PERCY FENDER

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To Play For M.C.C.

I may add that Mr. Fender will play for the M.C.C. in several fixtures, including that against the Canadians, which begins on July 23. He assures me that he does not intend to give up first-class cricket.

This will soften the loss to the game, for it is indeed a loss that an all-rounder of such individual distinction will no longer figure in it.

Cricket suffers badly from lack of personalities, and he was an outstanding figure for many seasons on all our cricket fields.

He began his career with Sussex in 1910, and joined Surrey four years later. He went to Australia in 1920-21, and played against the Australians and South Africans in Tests at home.

Above all he was one of the best captains the game has ever known.

HYMNS ON CATHEDRAL TOWER

At Durham Cathedral, at the close of evensong one day last month, clergy and choir made the annual ascent of the lantern tower and sang hymns while facing south, east and north.

Back Shows Best Form

Mr. Guinness was back at his best form of three years ago. His hitting was always long and accurate; a goal scored by him in the sixth period with a most difficult nearside shot was a beautiful instance of quick backing-up and stroke play, and in defence he made no mistake.

Unfortunately, one of his ponies made a bad one. It jibbed on a turn in midfield, and that mistake cost his side a goal.

Mr. Baiding played a good and unselfish No. 2 game; perhaps too unselfish. He gave Mr. Hughes a sufficient number of chances to score, but might perhaps have made more use of his own hitting and shooting powers.

